

# FOUR KILLED IN B. & O. WRECK.

Many Others Are Seriously Injured,  
One Beyond Recovery.

Passengers Occupying Sleeping Cars Hurled  
From Their Berths, and Made Haste  
to Reach Safety Through  
Windows.

Cumberland, Md., Jan. 16.—The fast  
express on the Baltimore &  
Ohio railroad, known as No. 10, was  
killed this morning and four peo-  
ple instantly killed, a fifth fatal-  
ly injured and several others serious-  
ly hurt. The express dashing along at  
high rate, crashed into two en-  
gines standing in the yards.  
The dead are:  
J. N. BUTTER, engineer, of  
Cumberland.  
J. M. MORGAN, express fireman,  
Cumberland.  
J. H. SIMMS, aged 36, engineer,  
Cumberland.  
J. S. STANISLER, fireman, of South  
Cumberland.  
The injured are:  
J. M. Christopher, foreman of South  
Cumberland. He is badly crushed  
and will die; C. W. Crang, fireman,  
Cumberland, cut and scalded.

## MANUFACTURERS' ASSOCIATION

Preparing to Make Itself Felt Upon  
the Eight-hour Subject.

New York, Jan. 16.—That the Ameri-  
can manufacturers' association intend  
to make itself heard and felt in Wash-  
ington is evident from the tone of an  
address published in the current issue of  
the official organ, American Industries.  
The address is against the eight hour law,  
the anti-injunction bills, and in  
favor of the proposed department of  
commerce and labor.  
The address is headed "great political  
issues impend at Washington," it is  
signed "The Manufacturers' Association."

### PROF. WEEDEN HONORED.

Market street Presbyterian church,  
evening closed a very successful  
and of evangelistic meetings. Prof.  
Weeden, who had charge of the  
meeting, who has appeared in Lima  
before and as a mark of apprecia-  
tion the choir presented him with a  
beautiful scarf pin, the pastor making  
presentation with a few appropri-  
ate remarks to which the professor  
responded in the happy manner that  
endeared him to all.  
Rev. J. H. Thomson, D. D., the pastor,  
closed the sermon and his sterling  
abilities as a speaker and magni-  
fied with which he holds his audience  
well known to require repetition.  
The weather was fine.  
Washington, Jan. 16.—Ohio, snow or  
frost tonight; Saturday clearing with  
frost in northwest portion.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

A. "Forty" Morris was the  
guest of friends at Dunkirk yester-  
day.  
R. Joseph has gone to Vir-  
ginia for a brief visit, and will return  
on the 12th of February.  
L. Rogers, of the law firm of  
Land & Rogers, is in Akron on pro-  
fessional business.  
John Doner, who has been in  
hospital for several days, was  
able to leave his home north of Kemp-  
ton today.  
Mrs. Frank Lewis, of Del-  
aware, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs.  
Bogart, of east North street.  
The Emma Davis, of Columbus, is  
the guest of George Plattner and  
family of west High street.

### LADIES' EVENT

At Knights of Pythias Hall  
Next Friday Night.

Invitations have been issued for a  
ladies social to be held in Knights of  
Pythias hall on Friday evening, Jan-  
uary 23. The Arion Trio has been  
engaged to furnish the music. There  
will be dancing and cards and all the  
members with their wives and sweet-  
hearts are expected to be present.

Oysters at Townsend's.

Townsend's wholesale Oysters.

## TO OFFSET BLOCKADE.

Washington, Jan. 16.—According to  
information received by the state de-  
partment, Venezuela has opened to  
commerce without restriction the  
whole of the Colombian frontier. This  
is taken to mean that free trade has  
been established in that quarter, in or-  
der to offset the blockade of the coast  
by the powers.

### FIVE DAYS ONLY

Given Cleveland Operators to  
Unload Their Coal.

Cleveland, Jan. 16.—The Lake  
Shore railway has notified dealers in  
coal that they will be given but five  
days instead of ten in which to un-  
load. This prevents in part any at-  
tempt of the dealers to hold back coal  
to boost prices. The example of the  
Lake Shore will probably be followed  
by other roads.

### PARDON

Granted Woman Serving 18  
Months Sentence.

Columbus, O., Jan. 16.—Governor  
Nash today granted a pardon to Mrs.  
Margaret Young, of Portsmouth, who  
was sentenced to serve 18 months in  
the Ohio penitentiary for keeping \$45  
she found.

### INJURIES

Sustained by Boxer McCon-  
nell May Be Fatal.

San Francisco, Jan. 16.—Frank Mc-  
Connell, the boxer, who was probably  
fatally injured in his contest with  
"Spider" Welch, last night, was still  
unconscious at 7 a. m. and appeared  
to be sinking.

### TRUE BILLS

Expected to be Found Against  
Chicago Coal Men.

Chicago, Jan. 16.—A special grand  
jury today began a hearing of the  
final witnesses in the coal conspiracy  
investigation. It is believed true bills  
will be voted against eight or ten  
operators before the day is over.

### DITCHED IT.

An Accident That Occurred  
to a C. H. & D. Train.

Last evening the operator in the  
signal tower at the C. H. and D., cross-  
ing east of Piqua, pulled a lever that  
set the derailing switch, and threw the  
engine of a Pan-Handle train into the  
ditch. A freight train was crossing  
the track. The engineer of the ditch-  
ed train saw that the signal was  
against him, and applied the brakes,  
but could not check his train quickly  
enough. He was badly bruised but not  
seriously hurt. The fireman jumped  
and saved himself.

Erie into Springfield.

The project of the Erie road enter-  
ing this city is being studied by those  
in power, and it is stated on good au-  
thority that the early spring will see  
an announcement that arrangements  
have been completed for the plan. It  
is said that the railroad officials fully  
appreciate the value of the idea to the  
road, and it is stated that they have  
made several visits to this city to ex-  
amine the proposed route. The money  
which was set aside at the beginning  
of the year for improvements on the  
road, it is said, will be an added  
reason for the accomplishment of the  
project. Indeed, but little doubt is  
entertained in the adoption of the  
plan.—Springfield Sun.

Live Stock Market.

East Liberty, Jan. 16.—Cattle fair,  
unchanged; sheep fair, slow; hogs  
slow, active.

## RUSSIA FAVORED.

Constantinople (via frontier), Jan.  
16.—In accordance with the sultan's  
sanction granted last September, a  
Russian torpedo boat passed through  
Dardanelles on Tuesday, enroute for  
Sebastopol. The censor would not  
allow telegrams announcing this fact  
to pass.

Turkey, by permitting the passage  
of the Russian torpedo boat, is leav-  
ing herself open to a storm of protest,  
if not worse. Several weeks ago  
Great Britain informed Porte that  
such an action was contrary to inter-  
national treaties and that if such  
right was granted Russia, England  
would also demand the right. Other  
powers intimated that they would fol-  
low England's lead.

### FORTY TARS

Returned from the Fleet and  
Placed in Hospitals.

Norfolk, Jan. 16.—The auxiliary  
cruiser *Prairie* arrived yesterday  
from Culebra with sick sailors and  
marines from the fleet. Forty were  
transferred to the naval hospital.  
They are suffering from slight touches  
of malaria.

## SMOOT'S OPINION.

New York, Jan. 16.—The "World"  
today prints this signed dispatch from  
Reed Smoot, who is making a fight  
for the United States senatorship in  
Utah: "Provo, Utah, Jan. 15.—I know  
of no reason why there should be op-  
position to my being seated. I have  
done nothing in my life to warrant it.  
I have always honored and obeyed all  
the laws of my country. I have been  
and am a firm supporter of the ad-  
ministration. I cannot see why it  
should nor do I believe it will use its  
influence against me."

### GRAVE DIGGER

Makes a Ghastly Discovery  
in Los Angeles Cemetery.

Los Angeles, Jan. 16.—Ghouls have  
robbed the grave of Mrs. Manuel Pico,  
wife of the late Spanish governor of  
California. They stole jewels on the  
body which they had removed from its  
resting place. It was found at day-  
light by a grave digger.

### OPERATORS

And Presidents of Coal Car-  
rying Roads Must Testify.

Washington, Jan. 16.—The house  
committee on merchant marine and  
fisheries which has been authorized to  
investigate the question of coal trans-  
portation today decided to send a sub-  
committee of five to Boston to begin  
the taking of testimony there. Others  
of the committee will remain here and  
probably summon some of the opera-  
tors and presidents of coal carrying  
roads to give testimony in this city.

### MUTILATED

Body of Teamster Found and  
Arrests Will Follow.

Akron, O., Jan. 16.—The body of  
Boss McVey, a teamster of Barborton,  
was found murdered and mutilated  
near the Hametown coal mine. He had  
quarrelled with another teamster dur-  
ing the day and arrests will follow.

### MAYFLOWER

With Dewey Aboard, Seen  
off Palm Beach.

Palm Beach, Fla., Jan. 16.—The May  
flower, with Admiral Dewey and staff  
on board, passed by here yesterday,  
going north. The vessel was close  
enough to note the admiral's new flag.

IN THE HOUSE.

Washington, Jan. 16.—The house  
today gave consideration to bills re-  
ported by the committee on war claims.

## GREAT Lakes Have a Big Influence

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Influence

## In the Interest

Of Prosperity Among  
Inland States.

The Statistical Bureau Gives  
for the First Time an  
Annual Report

Showing the Movement of Vessels,  
the Tonnage and Clearance  
Canadian and United  
States Ports.

Washington, Jan. 16.—The close of  
November on the Great Lakes usual-  
ly marks the end of the season of  
through navigation. This year, for  
the first time, the treasury bureau of  
statistics has covered an entire sea-  
son's registered tonnage movement,  
giving arrivals and clearances at  
ports on these interior waters. For  
November, 214 ports report arrivals  
and clearances, and the registered ton-  
nage movement in net tons is avail-  
able for the first 11 months of the  
year. December's tonnage adds  
slightly to these figures, but will not  
materially change the grand total.  
For the first 11 months of the past  
year, 77,408 vessels were reported as  
arrivals, with a net registered tonnage  
of 71,443,517 net tons, and 77,899  
clearances of 72,215,099 net tons.  
These figures apply exclusively to  
coastwise trade; that is, to trade be-  
tween domestic ports only, and do not  
include tonnage employed in the lake  
trade between Canada and the United  
States.

There are 20 individual ports on the  
Great Lakes having each a registered  
tonnage of arrivals ranging from  
one million to over five million tons.  
On Lake Superior 4 different ports  
had a combined tonnage of 14,352,972  
net tons, of which Duluth is credited  
with 4,971,424 tons; Superior-West  
superior, 4,087,139 tons; Two Harbors,  
3,123,853 tons; and Ashland, 2,171,546  
tons. Lake Michigan has 7 ports  
which fall within this class, aggre-  
gating 18,773,132 tons of arrivals. Of  
these, Milwaukee stands at the head  
with 4,622,592 tons. Next in order  
comes Chicago, with 4,370,638 tons,  
followed by Escanaba with 2,914,236  
tons, whose freight cargoes consist  
very largely of ore shipments to the  
manufacturing districts of the lower  
lakes. South Chicago has a tonnage  
of 2,293,479 tons, and if included in  
that of Chicago the combined ton-  
nage would exceed the registered ton-  
nage of any other lake port by more  
than one and one-half million tons.  
Next in order, on Lake Michigan,  
come Ludington, with 1,811,875 tons;  
Manitowish, 1,751,609 tons, and Frank-  
fort, with 1,098,655 tons.

The enormous volume of this move-  
ment is only appreciated when com-  
pared with similar operations on the  
ocean frontage. New York, during  
the entire calendar year 1902, is  
credited with 8,982,767 registered tons  
of arrivals, and 8,815,291 tons of  
clearances. London, for 1901, had  
entrances amounting to 9,992,753 tons,  
and clearances of 7,282,892 tons.  
Hongkong reported 8,262,614 tons en-  
tering, and 8,630,409 tons clearing in  
the year 1900.

The largest group of lake ports  
within the million-ton class is to be  
found on the lower lakes between De-  
troit and Buffalo. Nine ports on this  
portion of the lake coast aggregating  
a registry of arrivals of 22,865,772  
tons. At the head of this list stands  
Cleveland, with 5,087,565 tons; Buffalo  
4,830,682 tons; Ashtabula, 2,888,987  
tons; Conneaut, 2,511,515 tons; De-  
troit, 1,986,697 tons; Toledo, 1,854,262  
tons; Erie, 1,524,285 tons; Lorain,  
1,117,340 tons, and Fairport, 1,064,420  
tons.

The number of vessels reported as  
arriving at Chicago to the above date  
was 6,532; at Milwaukee, 5,032; at  
Cleveland, 4,167; at Ashtabula, 1,737;  
at Buffalo, 3,456; at Duluth, 2,806; at

## STILL NO NEWS OF THE ST. LOUIS.

All Day Long Anxious Relatives and  
Friends Made Inquiries.

NEW YORK, JAN. 16.—"THERE  
IS STILL NO NEWS OF THE ST.  
LOUIS" SAID PRESIDENT CLEM-  
ENT A. GRISCOM, OF THE AMERI-  
CAN LINE AT 9 O'CLOCK THIS  
MORNING. "I HAVE, HOWEVER,  
NO FEARS FOR THE SHIP. SHE  
WILL TURN UP ALL RIGHT." NOT-  
WITHSTANDING THIS CONFIDENT  
EXPRESSION, THERE WAS AN  
AIR OF NERVOUSNESS IN THE  
OFFICIALS IN THE STEAMSHIP  
LINE THIS MORNING. CLERKS  
WERE KEPT BUSY TELLING  
CALLERS THERE WAS "NO  
NEWS" AND IN ANSWERING  
NUMEROUS QUERIES BOTH BY  
TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH.  
THERE ARE 668 PERSONS IN ALL  
ABOARD THE LINER, 275 PASSEN-  
GERS AND 393 IN THE CREW. THE  
ST. LOUIS IS NOT FITTED WITH  
WIRELESS TELEGRAPH; APPA-  
RATUS AS HER SISTER SHIPS.  
THE ST. PAUL AND PHILADEL-  
PHIA, AND EVEN WERE SHE A  
SHORT DISTANCE FROM THE  
WIRELESS STATIONS HER PRE-  
SENCE COULD NOT BE DISCOVER-  
ED UNTIL SHE IS ACTUALLY  
SIGHTED.

## THE RELATION OF MONEY AND MEN.

Important Questions Will be Discussed  
at University Club Tonight.

New York, Jan. 16.—The education  
of the masses, the relation of employer  
and employe, and the development of  
character in the educational system  
are some of the important questions to  
be discussed at the University club to-  
night at the twentieth annual dinner  
of the New York alumni of Lehigh Uni-

Detroit, 2,854; at Escanaba, 2,341; at  
Toledo, 2,313; at Superior-West Su-  
perior, 2,144, and at Washburn, 2,065.

In the month of October, when the  
vessel movement was at its highest,  
the arrivals reached a total of 10,271  
vessels, of 8,827,761 tons; and the  
clearances a total of 10,246 vessels, of  
8,906,653 tons.

## WILL MEET IN DEBATE.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 16.—The debating  
team of the university of Michigan  
here for the annual contest with re-  
presentatives of the University of  
Chicago which takes place in Stude-  
baker hall tonight. The question  
chosen for debate is embraced in the  
following: "Resolved, That party can-  
didates for elective offices within the  
state should be nominated by direct  
vote of the party."

### CONDITION

Of Tillman's Victim Said to  
be Somewhat Improved.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 16.—The con-  
dition this morning of Narciso Gon-  
zales, who was shot yesterday by  
Lieut. Gov. Tillman, is very much im-  
proved, and there is some hope of his  
recovery. Reports of probable lynching  
were exaggerated and the excite-  
ment following the tragedy has prac-  
tically subsided.

### FIGHTING SENATOR

Made Ready in Haste to Leave this  
Afternoon.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Senator Ben  
Tillman is so shaping his affairs that  
he can leave for South Carolina this  
afternoon, if his presence is desired.  
He declines to discuss the shooting  
of editor Gonzales by his nephew, say-  
ing that the only information he had of  
the tragedy was what he had secured  
from news reports.

See "What Townsend Max."

Miss Jilt—I'm sorry. No doubt you'll  
find some other girl who'll make you  
forget me.

Mr. Kloseman—Oh, but I can never  
forget you.

Miss Jilt—Nonsense. You did it last  
Christmas without any trouble.

A preacher in this town calls his  
bible his "shot gun."

We wonder how many baby rages  
are lost in this world.

A man is as hard to cut as a ball  
of gloves on a woman.

### PYTHIAFS

Anticipate Great Time  
in Findlay

During the Eleventh District  
Convention.

Ritualistic Work to be Exemplified  
by J. W. Blackburn, of This  
City—W. B. Richie  
Will Attend.

Local Pythians, says the Findlay  
Republican, are eagerly anticipating  
the coming district convention of the  
eleventh district that is to take place  
in Findlay, Thursday, February 6. A  
prominent member of the order said  
yesterday, that the following speakers  
have assured the Findlay Pythians of  
their intention of attending the meet-  
ing: Walter Richie, past supreme  
chancellor of Lima; Grand Chancellor  
Charles J. Deckman, of Cleveland;  
William Beatty, of Toledo, keeper of  
records and seals; Hon. John W.  
Winn, of Defiance, past grand chancel-  
lor; Brigham S. Young, of Ada, past  
grand chancellor, and J. W. Black-  
burn, of Lima. The latter will exem-  
plify the work which will be done in  
the afternoon in secret at the hall of  
Lodge No. 400. Mr. Blackburn is con-  
sidered the best-posted Pythian in re-  
gard the ritualistic work of the order.  
Mr. Richie is also one of the foremost  
Pythians. He is the author of the  
ritual used at present by Pythian  
lodges. As has been announced be-  
fore secret work will be done in the  
afternoon at the hall of lodge No. 400,  
while in the evening an open meeting  
is to be held at the Marvin opera  
house. The following committees  
have been selected: Lodge No. 85—  
W. L. David, L. C. Gleason and J. A.  
Schaeffer; Lodge No. 400—A. E.  
Kerns, M. G. Foster and N. W. Bright.

## LOOK TO CONGRESS.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 16.—Judge  
Wm. M. Springer, general counsel for  
the National Live Stock association,  
discussed the packing house merger  
in a speech to the stockmen's con-  
vention today. After it, by a resolution  
the convention asked congress to pass  
the following: an omnibus bill, admit-  
ting Oklahoma, Arizona and New Mex-  
ico to stockmen; a pure food bill; a bill  
to take a live stock census every five  
years; a bill to change the control of  
the forest reserves from the interior to  
the agricultural department; and mak-  
ing a change in the railway commis-  
sion.

## FEW

And Far Between  
are the

## New Producers

There Has Not Been a  
Great Amount

Of New Work in the Ohio  
During the Severe Win-  
ter Weather.

As Usual, Allen County Comes in  
With the Largest Menton of  
New Wells, Some Be-  
ing Good Ones.

OIL MARKET	
Texas	1.38
Penn.	1.44
White House oil	1.24
Somerset	.39
Lacey oil	.39
Coring	1.34
New Castle	1.41
North Lima	1.15
South Lima	1.10
Indiana	1.10

New producers are few and far be-  
tween at this season of the year, and  
there has been little doing in the north



It cures Coughs, Croup, Sore Throat, Whooping Cough, Asthma, Bronchitis, and all other lung troubles. It is a sure cure for all these ailments. It is sold everywhere. Price 25 cents and 50 cents.

## Years Ago

Merchants looked upon January as a dull month and one to be dreaded. Now it's one of the busiest months of the year. Our pre-inventory clearing sales have turned a dull month into a very busy one. Of course we had to make price concessions to do it; but, then, it's a good thing for us and a good thing for the discriminating shopper. January is now known as a month when the lowest prices of the year are in force.

## Ladies' Jackets.

Here is where you find the greatest bargains of the season

- \$3.50 will now buy a \$6.75 Jacket.
- \$4.75 will now buy a \$9.50 Jacket.
- \$5.00 will now buy a \$10.00 Jacket.
- \$5.75 will now buy a \$11.50 Jacket.
- \$6.25 will now buy a \$12.50 Jacket.

## PRE-INVENTORY CLEARANCE OF DRESS GOODS.

In this department you will find dress goods at 1/2, at 1/3 and at 1/4 the former low prices. Following are only a few of the pre-inventory bargains we are offering

Fancy Waistings, 27 inches wide, regular price 25c a yard

Sale Price 17c a yard.

Another lot consists of plain and fancy, black and colored dress goods that formerly sold for 20c and 30c a yard. Your choice of this lot for

12 1-2c a yard.

Sale Price 55c a yard.

A 50 inch black Brilliantine good quality, regular price 80c a yard

Sale Price 68c a yard.

One lot of choice fancy striped silks, worth \$1.00 to \$1.25

Sale Price 50c a yard.

One lot choice figured Foulards, 21 inches wide, worth 90c to \$1.00

Sale Price 69c a yard.

**FELTZ BROS. & CO.**

1st and 2nd Door South of Court House.

## Headache

Biliousness, sour stomach, constipation and all liver ills are cured by

## Hood's Pills

The non-irritating cathartic. Price 25 cents of all druggists or by mail of C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

western Ohio fields during the siege of cold weather. However, operators are preparing somewhat better than their more improvident brethren, as properties are kept in pretty good condition, and the cessation of work is only temporary at the worst.

The greatest number of completions is reported from various Allen county districts and a couple of the new wells are in locations which will have some effect on future operations. Roth, Argue & Co. have completed a test well in the Sugar Creek township district northeast of Elida, which was very much of a disappointment. It was drilled on the J. M. Brennenman farm, section 4, a short distance west of the new wells completed a month or so ago, and resulted in a duster.

About one mile north and east of the Brennenman, in section 34, Sugar Creek, the Sugar Creek Oil company has completed a test well on the E. J. Davis farm which started producing at the rate of 35 barrels per day. This is a little in advance but is within hailing distance of a circle of dusters which was drilled along an arc from a point east to quite a distance west. Several wells under way in that region of late have attracted some attention and it is now thought to be only a question of just how far to the northward the narrow streak can be extended. The production four or five miles south is older and quite good, but heretofore indications of a production higher up on the map were not very good.

In German township, the Grand Rapids & Lima Oil company has completed its fifth well on the L. Herring farm section 19, and it started off with an output of 30 barrels in the first 24 hours.

South of Beaver Dam two miles Thomas & E. J. Burns have completed a good well on the W. Young farm located in section 8 of Jackson township. It made 50 barrels.

The Anchor Oil Co.'s first well on the G. W. Goble farm section 27 Richland which was in dispute for a four time does not indicate that the property was worth the amount spent on the location. It's product on the first day was 20 barrels.

In the same section the Buckeye Oil & Gas company has completed No. 7 on the N. Augsburg (or C. Light)

farm, with a production of 50 barrels the first day. The Ohio & Indiana Oil company's No. 4, J. M. Bowers, in section 28, was good for 25 barrels at the start.

R. C. Gillespie, has finished up a test on the George Lybarger farm, in section 34 of Ridge township, Van Wert county, which was quite small, producing only 15 barrels the first 24 hours.

Gillespie has another well in York township, his No. 16 on the E. Evans farm, in section 1, the production of which was also 15 barrels.

In section 3 York, the Empire Oil & Refining company's No. 5, on the Rebecca Duprey farm, was good for 15 barrels at the start.

In Fortuna township of Hancock county Taylor Bros. have finished up their No. 2 on the F. Archer farm section 4, with an initial output of 5 barrels.

Four new wells are reported in the new pool in Oregon township, of Lucas county and two of them are better than the ordinary for that section of the field, while the other two are fair producers. The Ohio Oil company has another good well in its No. 2 on the C. H. Claussing farm, section 4, the initial output of which was 65 barrels. This is not quite so good as No. 1, on the same farm, but is very good for Lucas county. The same company has completed No. 1, on the G. W. Claussing farm, same section, with an original output of 15 barrels.

C. A. & H. W. Leeper, have a good producer on the Anna Becker farm their No. 4 making 50 barrels the first day. On the H. Schepman farm adjoining both being in the southeast quarter of section 4, they have a 20 barrel.

## RUNS AND SHIPMENTS.

Jan 13 and 14	
National Transit Co—	
Runs	12,114 1/2
Shipments	34,177 04
S. W. Penna P. L.—	
Runs	7,838 21
Shipments	3,287 62
Eureka P. L. Co—	
Runs	34,240 34
Shipments	2,955 25
B. P. L. Co. Macksburg O.—	
Runs	10,959 68
Shipments	100 91
B. P. L. Co. Lima O.—	
Runs	14,071 86
Shipments	22,412 64
N. Y. Transit Co—	
Shipments	11,201 26
Southern P. L. Co—	
Shipments	27,491 86
Crescent P. L. Co—	
Shipments	534 71
Cumberland P. L. Co—	
Runs	1,941 27
Shipments	498 47

If a woman ever gets so "homely" she isn't worth looking at she'd better take Rocky Mountain Tea. Brings back the bloom of youth 35 cents.

H. F. Vorkamp, corner North and Main streets.

## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC!

Will you kindly notify the general public there will be no more visiting allowed at the Children's Home until further notice.

By order of the board of trustees 79-41

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets.  
This signature is on each box.  
B. F. Vorkamp

A masquerade ball off the dancing class will be given in Music hall, Monday Jan 26th, 1903. 75-71

You have looked into a beautiful face seen the sweet smile, rosy cheeks, laughing eyes, and wished nature had made you attractive. Rocky Mountain Tea makes homely women beautiful.

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Columbus, Ohio.

## HAULS

Patterson's Maligners  
Over the Coals.

A Pennsylvania Agent Ex-  
presses Himself

Concerning the Attack Made on the  
Train Master Who Refused to  
Carry Newspaper Men to  
the Ada Wreck.

J. P. Patterson, Pennsylvania Train Master, was in town yesterday afternoon says the Van Wert Bulletin. In his official capacity he had charge of the relief trains at the scene of the Ada wreck. One of the company's most stringent orders was strictly enforced that night and some severe criticism of his observance of the rule against carrying any but company representatives and physicians on relief trains forms the base of a campaign on the part of Mr. Patterson's associates. The press reporters who were released from the relief trains expressed their opinion of the train master in an editorial, but favorable words. A. J. Flaherty, commenting on these writings defends Mr. Patterson's position as follows:

Every railroad man deprecates the accident very much. We all must do our duty as men should, and I believe that the men employed by a railroad company are as careful as any men employed in any position in life. They are also as a rule, accommodating or should be as the welfare of the company depends on such service.

"Could you have seen our employees since this accident as I have, express their sorrow opinions might have been different. I saw the train master's wife. I feel sorry, indeed that any newspaper man was so narrow minded as to speak of any gentleman in such unkindly manner.

I, P. Patterson, our train master, on this division, is certainly a gentleman in every respect honorable upright fair and just and would harm no man on earth. Step by step he has climbed the ladder of fame and society by his own hard work never having any relative to assist as the paper states. I challenge any proof to the contrary.

So far as calling him a car greaser is concerned I would not stoop so low as to pay any attention to such trash. Sometimes a car greaser makes a railroad president, and I believe newspaper correspondents are often glad to interview presidents. At any rate Mr. Patterson was not a car greaser, but if he had been that would not have kept him back as he is made of that kind of material that goes on and up and upwards at all times.

The train men who report under Mr. Patterson would resent any such an attack made upon him in their presence, as they are fully aware that Mr. Patterson is entitled to better treatment.

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children  
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the  
Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fitch*

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## Men's Clothing.

## Stirring Price Reductions.

In harmony with our fixed policy not to carry goods to another season, we are sacrificing our profits on these goods in order to close them out and make room for our large stock of spring clothing, which will commence coming in about February 1st.

Bear in mind that every garment we are offering at these low prices is strictly up-to-date in style and material. It is the best clothing that skill and ripe experience can produce—don't lose sight of that.

This reduction extends to our boys' and children's clothing, as well as men's furnishings etc. Keep your eye on our windows and you will surely be interested.

## MORRIS BROS.

217 North Main Street, Lima O.

# Big January Clearance Sale

Is Now Going on at  
**MRS. F. LIGHT'S**

We have never given such bargains before, and we are positive such cut prices have never been given in Lima on new, up-to-date goods as we are now giving. We are determined to clean up our remaining stock.

## Regardless of Cost,

For we haven't the room to carry any thing over. You will positively get the goods cheaper than you could buy them in bulk at wholesale houses, and the only way we can prove it to you is for you to come and let us show you the goods and tell you the former prices and the big cut prices. We could name prices here, but you must see the goods to appreciate the bargains. Every article in our store is included in this sale, but especially those here named:

Ladies' Jackets  
Monte Carlos  
Velour Jackets  
Children's Long Coats  
Children's Short Coats  
Fur Scarfs  
Children's Furs  
Baby Caps  
Underwear

Dress Skirts  
Walking Skirts  
Silk Petticoats  
Mercerized Petticoats  
Knit Underskirts  
Silk Waists  
Flannel Waists  
Worsted Waists  
Wash Waists

All Trimmed and Untrimmed Ladies' and Children's Hats,  
Plumes, Tips, Fancy Feathers, Birds,  
Wings and Foliage.

That every lady needs many articles above mentioned is without question, and the fact of all these goods being the best and newest styles and the slashing prices we are making every one should lay in a whole year's supply. We've said enough, for we have assured you the greatest bargains in our line ever given in Lima, and if you want to save from \$1 to \$5 on each purchase, come to

**MRS. F. LIGHT,**

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For Ladies and Gentlemen.  
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Nails and Children's Hair Cutting  
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Northeast corner Public Square.

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**BEST BATH ROOMS**  
IN THE CITY.  
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Metropolitan Barber Shop.

**MONEY TO LOAN.**  
I have a large sum of money to loan  
at very low rates of interest. I will  
be with the privilege of paying part or  
at any interest paying day. Persons  
needing MONEY and on SHORT  
notice will find it to be their interest  
all.  
C. H. FOLSON,  
Estate and Loan Broker, Rooms 2 and  
3, Holmes Block.

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**OIL PROPERTIES**  
FOR BUY, SELL, or EXCHANGE real es-  
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IN A SPLENDID INVESTMENT.  
**WE HAVE IT.**  
Will pay you for information  
J. H. A. THOMPSON, 35 Wall St. N. Y.

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assured under the most favorable  
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Kite booklet, "The Bethesda of  
the Middle West," on application  
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old second hand shoes. Bring  
you can and will pay you cash for  
them. Shoe repair shop in connec-  
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**ROCKY MOUNTAIN TEA**  
as You Well, keeps You Well. Cures  
colds, Croup, Whooping Cough, In-  
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Joints, Loved by Grandmothers, Makes Father  
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as the Girls and Boys Well, and keeps  
a Good Natured all of the Time. The  
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MADISON MEDICINE CO., Madison, Wis.  
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with Chronic Troubles?  
DR. GOOD can cure you by the  
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mean just what we say. Return  
er the blood is the life of the  
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24 1/2 Public Square,  
Lima, Ohio

## AGED

**Minister of Gospel**  
**Passes Away**  
**In South Lima**

**Mrs. Sarah Lanmasson**  
**Buried Today.**

**Party of Columbus Grove**  
**People Entertained in**  
**This City.**

**Sad Message Received by Relatives**  
**of Mrs. Spyker, of Crider-**  
**ville Revival Services**  
**Commence Tonight.**

Rev W J Creman, after a linger-  
ing illness of about six years dura-  
tion, succumbed to the inevitable, at  
the home of his son, Charles W.  
Creman, on east Second street, this  
morning, at nine-thirty o'clock.  
The deceased was born in Ross  
county, and at the time of his demise  
was aged 72 years 10 months and 10  
days.  
His death is attributed to paralysis.  
He is survived by thirteen children,  
five of whom reside on east Second  
street, the others residing out of the  
city.

Mr Creman was one of the highly  
respected pioneer citizens of Allen-  
town, and was for a number of  
years an esteemed resident of south  
Lima. He was gentleman of sterling  
integrity admired by hosts of  
friends for his many noble qualities.  
For forty five years he was a zealous  
minister of the Gospel. During his  
ministry he devoted himself earnest-  
ly to the noble principles of his sac-  
red calling. During a long life of  
good citizenship and Christian en-  
deavor he accomplished much for the  
upbuilding of the church and the  
edification of his fellow men. He has  
done what he could, and gone to claim  
his reward in that kingdom, whose  
cause he zealously advocated for  
many years. The funeral will be held  
in the Methodist church at Allen-  
town, Sunday afternoon at 1:30  
o'clock the pastor Rev D H Butter-  
off officiating. The remains will be  
consigned to a final resting place in  
the cemetery at Allentown.

**Pleasant Party**  
A jolly crowd of young people come  
over from Columbus Grove Wednes-  
day and spent the evening with Miss  
Lulu Gantz, of west Kibby street. An  
enjoyable time is reported by all.  
**Entertainment Postponed.**  
The entertainment which was to  
have been given by Lima lodge of  
Pathfinders Tuesday evening Jan 20  
has been postponed one week.

**Buried Today**  
Mrs Sarah Lanmasson late of  
south Metcalf street was buried in  
Rich cemetery near Ohio City today.

## FOR WOMEN

**Much That Every Woman**  
**Desires to Know**

**About Sanative Antisep-**  
**tic Cleansing**

**And About Curing Ulcerative**  
**Pains and Weaknesses.**

Too much stress cannot be placed on  
the great value of Cuticura Soap, Oint-  
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ing of the mucous surfaces and of  
the blood and circulating fluids, thus  
affording pure, sweet and economical  
local and constitutional treatment for  
weakening discharges, ulcerations, in-  
flammations, itching, irritations, relax-  
ations, displacements, pains and irregu-  
larities peculiar to females. Hence the  
Cuticura remedies have a wonderful  
influence in restoring health, strength  
and beauty to weary women, who  
have been prematurely aged and in-  
valided by these distressing ailments,  
as well as such sympathetic afflictions as  
anemia, chlorosis, hysteria, nervous-  
ness and debility.

Women from the very first have fully  
appreciated the purity and sweetness,  
the power to afford immediate relief  
the certainty of speedy and permanent  
cure, the absolute safety and great  
economy which have made the Cuticura  
Soap, Ointment and Pills the standard  
skin cures and humor remedies of the  
civilized world.

Millions of the world's best people  
use Cuticura Soap, assisted by Cuticura  
Ointment, for preserving, purifying  
and beautifying the skin, for cleansing  
the scalp of crusts, scales and dandruff,  
and the stopping of falling hair, for  
softening, whitening and soothing red,  
rough and sore hands, in the form of  
baths for annoying irritations, inflam-  
mations and ulcerative weaknesses, and  
for many sanative, antiseptic purposes  
which readily suggest themselves, as  
well as for all the purposes of the  
toilet, bath and nursery.

The remains were taken over the Erie  
railroad at eleven thirty o'clock this  
morning. At ten o'clock funeral ser-  
vices were conducted at the Lammas-  
son residence, Rev Wm M Curry,  
pastor of the south Main street Presby-  
terian church officiating.

**Important Meeting.**  
The Junior Guild, of Grace M E  
church, will hold an important meet-  
ing at the church this evening. All  
members are urged to be present.

**Former Resident Dead.**  
John Rover a well known former  
resident of south Lima, died at his  
home in Ayersville, last Thursday.  
Rev E T Howdle who conducted  
evangelistic services at that place last  
week attended the funeral Saturday.

**Their Sister Dying.**  
Messanimes Wm Humphreys Mary  
Joy and Jacob Spyker are at Crider-  
ville called there by the precarious  
illness of Mrs Margaret Spyker, who  
is feared can not long survive.

**Serious Attack.**  
Relatives of Mrs Miriam Jones of  
outh Main street were greatly con-  
cerned regarding her yesterday after-  
noon when she suffered an attack of  
heart failure that it was feared for  
while would prove fatal. The ear-  
nest efforts of a physician finally re-

covered her and today she is con-  
sidered beyond any immediate danger.  
Maude is found.

Maude Wallingford of Kenton whom  
the police of Lima were requested to  
search for in this city several days  
ago, has been located at Ridgeway, a  
small town south of Kenton. The girl  
caused her parents much anxiety by  
her frequent sudden disappearances.  
She was returned to her home by a  
Kenton policeman.

**Will Move.**  
Charles W. Creman, of east Second  
street, has purchased of A S Hooker,  
of Spencerville, his residence prop-  
erty. The new owner will take pos-  
session about the first of the month.

**Pastor Installed.**  
Rev William M. Curry, pastor of the  
south Main street Presbyterian church  
was at Wapakoneta last night where  
he assisted in the installation of Rev  
J R Lloyd, formerly of Convoys, as  
pastor of the Presbyterian church at  
Wapakoneta. Mr. Lloyd, succeeds  
Rev Dr I D Lambert, who accepted a  
call to a church in Cincinnati. Rev  
Barber, of St Marys, delivered the  
sermon and Rev. Curry, delivered the  
charge to the congregation.

**Entertained Friends.**  
Miss Clara Blaise, delightfully en-  
tertained a number of friends at her  
home on south Pine street, Wednesday  
evening. Various pleasant charac-  
terized the event, which was mutually  
enjoyed. Miss Blaise was pronounced  
an agreeable hostess.

**Revival Begins.**  
At the south Main street Presbyter-  
ian church this evening, revival se-  
vices will begin. The pastor Rev W  
M Curry, will be assisted by a noted  
evangelist from Pittsburg.

**Personal Resume.**  
Miss Catherine Hagerman, of Dun-  
kirk, is being entertained at the home  
of Rev Hagerman, on south Elizabeth  
street.

Mrs William Higgins, who was  
here on account of the serious illness  
of Miss Beatrice Irons, of Second  
street, returned yesterday to her  
home at Elwood, Ind.

Patrolman J C Schhester mingled  
with friends at Ada yesterday.  
Mr and Mrs J W Baker, of south  
Elizabeth street, are the happy pa-  
rents of a baby girl that came to their  
home yesterday.

Cosmo McBeth, who has been  
making his home with the Lochwood  
family on south Union street, left  
yesterday for Thameville, Ontario,  
Canada, where he will visit for the  
next few weeks.

G A Welling, of Columbus, was  
here upon a business mission yester-  
day.

**CASTORIA.**  
The Kid You Have Always Bought  
Beware the  
Signature  
J. H. P. Picture

**Faurot Opera House.**

**Entire Week of Jan. 12th.**  
THE ORIGINAL  
**VANDYKE & EATON CO.**

Friday, Camille  
Saturday Matinee The Two Orphans  
Saturday Night... Across the Desert

**Prices, 10, 20 and 30 Cents.**  
Saturday Matinee 10 and 20 cents.  
PRICES—10, 20, 30 cents.  
Seats on sale at box office

Carroll & Cooney.

CLOAK SALE

Carroll & Cooney.

## The Final Cut of Prices

Has been made on all our ready-to-wear garments and Friday and  
Saturday will be the closing of this Great Cut Price Sale. Gar-  
ments actually sold without regard to cost or value, so be early  
and get the best bargains

**Tailor Made Suits.**



**\$15.00**  
**Suits**  
**\$4.98.**

Never before did we  
sacrifice goods like  
this; and this price  
for

**SATURDAY ONLY.**

**Garment Sale.**



We have on hand a heavy stock of  
fine Coats of different weights, all  
to be offered at special prices  
Fine velvet Suits, handsome  
Velour Coats, Peau de Soie, ranging  
up to \$30.00.

**Children's Coats.**

\$5.98 Coats go at \$2.98.  
\$6.50 Coats go at \$3.25.  
\$7.50 Coats go at \$3.75.  
This will clear out our Children's  
Coats, so be on hand for they are un-  
doubtedly the cheapest ever offered.

**Ladies's Coats.**

There are only a few left, but they  
are dirt cheap. All go in three lots.  
\$12.00 go for \$7.00.  
\$18.00 go for \$12.00.  
\$25.00 go for \$16.00.

**Waist Sale.**

Our stock of Wool Waists will be  
sold off Friday if prices will do it.  
the stock goes in three lots—59c, \$1.69  
and \$2.39. Waists all worth double  
sale price.

# CARROLL & COONEY

## The Most Wonderful Sale of Ladies' Suits Ever Known in Lima.



In our Suit Department we offer inducements  
never before heard of, and in fact the price of ever-  
thing at our store has been practically cut in two.  
**NOTICE** our window for prices. We could  
name hundreds of items where prices have been  
slashed but request a call if in need of anything in  
our line.

**Remember Everything is New**  
**in Our Store.**

## PEOPLE'S OUTFITTING CO.

The Store Where Your Credit is Good.

54 Public Square,

Lima, Ohio.

## AT THE MAMMOTH.

Our great clearing up sale of ODDS and ENDS is a golden opportunity  
for you to save money. It is easy for you to determine the genuine truth of  
reductions here, for every thing is marked in plain figures.

Men's Suits formerly \$8.00 at \$5.85.

Men's Suits formerly \$10.00 at \$6.85.

Men's Suits formerly \$12.00 at \$8.85.

Men's Overcoats formerly \$10 at \$6.85.

Men's Overcoats formerly \$12 at \$8.85.

Men's Overcoats formerly \$15 at \$10.85.

Men's Overcoats formerly \$18 at \$12.85.

Men's Overcoats formerly \$30 and \$35 at \$14.85.

Odds and Ends in boys Overcoats worth \$9 and \$10 at \$3.95.

## Odd and Ends in Manhattan Shirts.

Commencing tomorrow we will offer \$1.50 Shirts at \$1.12 1-2.

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## A LOVELY ROW.

The smoke about the Lima post-office fight is growing thicker and by the time that the end of Postmaster Hall's second term arrives, which is one week from tomorrow the political atmosphere will be decidedly murky. The facts in the case are that there is a battle royal going on between the two bodies of Allen county Republicans, and each one has determined the other shall not win. The county central committee is divided between the Hanna and anti-Hanna elements. Hall represents the former crowd, and their members on the committee endorsed Hall's application for a third term as postmaster. The anti-Hanna end of the committee—representing what was once known as the Horaker crowd before that gentleman himself became a Hanna cuckoo—refused to sign Hall's endorsement and undertook to find a candidate with whom they could defend the big bees of the Allen county Republicans.

Three candidates were discussed by the committee. Sam Fletcher, now in Thomas and Arch Campbell, and the latter named gentleman being a subscriber of a newspaper, was finally chosen as the most available candidate.

ate, the three other aspirants being thrown down with a heavy bump. Mr. Campbell's application was duly signed by the anti-Hanna members of the committee and forwarded to Washington and placed on file alongside that of George Hall, containing the signatures of the Hanna end of the committee.

It is a lovely mess into which our Republican brethren have engaged and demonstrates again the beauties of the spoils system of politics, the pie counter being the most attractive feature in the entire fabric. The lines are squarely drawn between the Hanna and anti-Hanna factions in this fight and the side which wins will score a most decisive throw-down against the other fellows.

But a third element entered into the fight, and it became a three-cornered one, when B. C. Faurot threw his castor into the ring, having behind him some good workers in the party who want to see Hall turned down and do not care to see Campbell win. The Faurot people claim that had President McKinley lived their candidate would have received the appointment hands down, because of an understanding that existed between Mr. Faurot and the late president, who were personal friends, their friendship growing out of business relations during the settlement of the Saxton bankruptcy case in Canton years ago.

The legion of other candidates who had been holding their hands out for this plum for the past year, have about concluded to take to the woods and leave only the three principals in the ring, and they are stirring up a mess within the party which it will take years of time to straighten out.

**DURING THE RUSH YESTERDAY, THERE WAS MONEY FOUND—THE LOSER CAN HAVE SAME BY IDENTIFYING.**

R. T. GREGG &amp; CO.

**GOOD SUPPLY OF POTTERY BREAD—BUT WE SOMETIMES RUN SHORT**

Potatoes 60c a bushel at Smith's 9-21

Weather—Increasing cloudiness.

## January Clearance Sale Is Still in Progress.

Greater values were never known; lower prices never attempted in this city. We mean to clear this store of all surplus stocks before inventory which comes in a few weeks and in order to do it we have cut and slashed prices until there is scarcely a trace of their former appearances. We must move the goods and we will do it. The people of Lima appreciate good values—proof of this is had in the fact that the store has been crowded nearly all the time during these last few days of zero weather. If you have any cold weather needs this is your opportunity to secure them at lowest prices—comfort at bargain prices.

## A Sale That Smashes Prices But Does Not Injure Quality.

## Bleached Table Damasks.

54-inch Bleached Table Damasks positively NOT all linen; new, neat patterns; very desirable for some uses remarkable value at 25c the yard.

60-inch fine quality Grass Bleached Table Damask, six handsome patterns, usually sold for 50c, at 39c the yard.

66-inch handsome Pure Linen Bleached Table Damask; choice new designs; a big bargain at 50c the yard.

64-inch very heavy Pure Linen Bleached Satin Damask; new patterns, worth 75c; this January Sale Price 58c the yard.

68-inch very heavy Pure Flax Bleached Satin Damask; new patterns, worth 85c; this January Sale Price 75c the yard.

70-inch handsome all Linen Table Damask; the kind you will find in many places at \$1.25; our January Sale Price 89c the yard.

70-inch very fine Bleached Table Damask; new patterns, with napkins to match; \$1.00 the yard. Napkins \$2.50 the dozen.

72-inch beautiful quality Bleached Double Damask; choice new patterns with napkins to match, \$1.25 the yard. Napkins \$3.50 the dozen.

75-inch extra heavy Bleached Double Damask; clover leaf and other popular patterns with napkins to match \$1.50 the yard. Napkins \$4.00 the dozen.

Very fine Bleached Table Damask; 68 inches wide, very handsome, stylish patterns; \$1.50 the yard.

## Colored Table Damask.

60-inch extra quality (oil colors, absolute fast) turkey red Table Damask at 35c, 39c and 42c the yard.

Handsome patterns, absolute fast color indigo blue Table Damask, 25c and 42c the yard.

Turkey Red pattern cloths, absolutely fast color, extra quality; special January Sale Prices 95, 75c and 83c the yard.

## Lunch Sets.

Fine half bleached Lunch Sets; 2 1/2 yard fringed cloth and one dozen fringed napkins; all pure linen; a January Sale bargain at \$2.00.

Handsome Lunch Sets 3 yard cloth with blue border, one dozen napkins with border to match; special January Sale Price \$3.25.

Heavy weight bleached Lunch Sets, 2 yard cloth and one dozen fringed napkins \$2.50 each.

## Lunch and Pattern Cloths.

Fine bleached pattern Table Cloths 2 yards long, beautiful open pattern; splendid quality \$2.00 each.

Very fine bleached Lunch Cloths, large size \$2.50 and \$3.00 each.

Fine fringed Lunch Cloths, with colored border—red, pink or blue—excellent size, \$1.50 each.

Large size fringe Lunch Cloths—red, blue or pink border and two rows of fancy drawn work \$2.00 each.

36x46 very fine hemstitch Lunch Cloths; pure linen at \$1.25.

45x45 inch fine hemstitched bleached Lunch Cloths, handsome desirable patterns at \$1.75 each.

## Toweling.

Heavy unbleached linen crash at 5c the yard. Bleached and unbleached twilled and huck toweling always sold everywhere at 5c, this January Sale price 3 1/2c the yard.

Heavy pure linen unbleached Toweling at 10c the yard.

Extra heavy half bleached Russia Crash 5c the yard.

Very fine quality pure linen Russia Crash, a remarkable bargain at 10c the yard.

Splendid quality pure linen bleached Crash with red border, fine and soft, usually sold for 15c, for this January Linen Sale at 10c the yard.

Extra heavy bleached Barnsey Crash warranted every fibre linen, the most substantial toweling bargain in the house at 15c the yard.

Very fine quality bleached huck Crash, pure linen every one extra value at 20c, 25c and 35c the yard.

Pure linen checked glass Toweling, blue or red, a remarkable January Sale bargain at 5c the yard.

Very fine pure linen glass Toweling 8c and 10c the yard.

Extra heavy bleached Crash with red border, pure linen, always 15c, for this January Sale at 12 1/2c the yard.

## Towels.

Very fine quality pure linen huck Towels with colored border, size actual measure 20x32 inches, never sold for less than 25c, during this sale at 15c each.

Good size hemmed huck Towels with colored border, worth 10c at 10c each.

18x34 inch hemmed huck Towels with colored border, very superior value at 12 1/2c each.

Very large size hemstitched huck Towels with colored border, splendid quality pure linen 35c each.

Very large size extra heavy oat meal huck Towels, 20x40 inches, 25c each.

Extra large hemstitched fancy huck Towels 24x45 inches, pure linen, always 50c, a January Sale bargain at 39c each.

Large size fringed and hemstitched fancy damask Towels, splendid values at 50c, 75c and \$1.00 each.

## Sweeping Reductions In the Garment Department.

## WAISTS.

One lot fine all wool flannel waists, red, blue, green and black, all good style, regular price 1.25, 1.50 and 1.75, marked for this January Clearing Sale at 95c each.

Special handsome French flannel waists in both fancy and plain colors, splendidly made, fine tucks and fancy buttons, regular price 2 58 and 3 25, all marked for this sale at 1 98.

Fine taffeta silk waists in red, blue, green and tan, fine cluster tucks, both front and back neatly trimmed, regular price 3.98, January Sale Price 2 25.

## SILK PETTICOATS.

Handsome silk petticoats, blue, black, purple and red, fine quality taffeta silk, very full skirt with wide accordion pleated ruffle, regular price 5.00, January Clearing Sale 3 75.

300 handsome dress and walking skirts, some with lining, some without, some comparatively plain, others handsomely trimmed; a great variety of cloths and colors, all made in the best possible manner by skilled tailors, every one are the season's styles, regular price 5.00, 6.00 and 6.50, for this January Clearing Sale 3 98 each.

## CLOAKS AND CAPES.

Handsome electric seal fur coats, some plain others trimmed with beaver, splendid garments, regular price \$20.00 and 35.00, January Sale Price 19.00.

Beautiful black velvet jackets, very stylish garments, regular price 20.00 and 25.00, marked for this January Clearing Sale at 14.00.

Special lot fine plush capes, some plain, some fancy crushed, all this season's goods, regular price 6.00, January Sale Price 2.58 each.

27 handsome cloth coats and jackets, all sizes, all this season's styles, all colors; it has been the talk of the town that we've had the finest line of cloaks in the city, regular prices range from 7.50 to 40.00 and now for this January Clearing Sale we say HALF PRICE for any of them.

## Hosiery.

Ladies' heavy all wool Hose black and Oxford gray both plain and ribbed, special value at 25c the pair.

Ladies' heavy all wool Hose, seamless foot and ribbed top, regular price 25c at 19c the pair.

Ladies' very heavy fast black Fleece Lined Hose remarkable value 3 pairs for 25c.

Ladies' extra quality fast black Fleece Lined Hose all sizes, 2 pairs 25c.

Ladies' very fine quality black Cashmere Hose at 5c, 39c and 40c.

Children's extra Heavy Fleece Hose double sole and high spliced heel, splendid value at 25c the pair.

Boys' extra heavy Fleece Lined Ribbed Hose always sold for 30c at 25c the pair.

Boys' heavy weight fast black Cotton Hose, wide and narrow rib equal to any stocking sold for 25c, special here at 15c the pair.

Children's good quality black ribbed Wool Hose, worth 15c at 7c the pair.

Children's fine ribbed fast black Cotton Hose double heel and toe all sizes, regular value 12 1/2c at 7c the pair.

## Underwear.

Ladies' very fine all wool ribbed Vests and Pants, silver, gray and white, exceptional value at \$1.50 each.

Ladies' fine silver gray Wool Vests and Pants, a rare bargain at \$1.00 each.

Ladies' heavy fleeced Vests and Pants, special at 5c each.

Ladies' heavy ribbed fleeced Union suits extra only at 39c each.

Ladies' heavy silver gray Onetta Union suits at 50c each.

Ladies' fine ribbed Union suits white or gray at 1.00 each.

Ladies' fast black ribbed Union suits at 1.50 and 2.25 each.

Children's silver gray ribbed Union suits, all small sizes, worth 25c at 15c each.

Boys' heavy silver gray Union Suits, all sizes, special at 50c each.

## Gloves.

Children's fine all wool Golf Gloves white and colors, regular price 25c at 19c the pair.

Children's fine black wool Mittens, all sizes, worth 25c at 19c the pair.

Ladies' Wool lined Kid Mittens, worth 75c at 39c the pair.

Ladies' heavy all Wool Golf Gloves, black, white and colors, 50c the pair.

Ladies' fine quality wool lined Kid Mittens, with fur tops, 75c and \$1.00 the pair.

## Comfortables.

300 large size silkoleen Comforts fitted with the best clean white cotton regular value 1.50, special at 1.15 each.

Very handsome heavy weight Comforts figured on both sides, best cotton filled, special at 1.25 and 1.50 each.

Beautiful one Sawn Comforts filled with clean fluffy cotton at 2.25 each.

## Warm Flannelette Night Gowns.

Ladies' good quality Flannelette Night Gowns, all sizes, lace and ruffle trimmings, special at 70c each.

Ladies' Night gowns of extra Flannelette in plain color, pink and blue only, all splendidly made, the best 75c gowns we know of here at 50c each.

## Embroideries.

Special lot fine white embroidery edgings, wide and narrow, were 8 1/2c and 10c but some are soiled, during this January sale 5c the yard.

One lot handsome wide embroidery edging and insertions, all desirable patterns, goods worth 12 1/2c and 15c, for this January sale at 8c the yard.

## Handkerchiefs.

Two special lots of fancy handkerchiefs, some muslin and soiled from use in the window trimming marked for this January Clearing sale at 5c and 10c each.

## Reductions in Fancy Art Goods.

Special lot fancy pillow tops and pillow covers, stamped, printed, lithographed and damask, regular price 25c, for this January sale 19c each. One lot fancy ruffled sofa pillows at 25c each.

## All Millinery at Half Price.

For this January Clearing Sale the Millinery Department offers all trimmed hats at HALF PRICE. All untrimmed hats that were \$1.00, 1.25 and 1.50, at 50c each.

## Genuine Bargains In Every Department

Economical buyers can fill their wants cheaply enough to provide for future needs. Money saving prices.

## WAISTS.

98c and \$1.25 Values at - - - 69c.  
 \$1.50 and \$1.98 Values at - - - 98c.  
 \$2.50 and \$2.98 values at - - - \$1.50  
 Some \$5.00 to \$6.00 Waists at - - - \$2.98

## WALKING SKIRTS.

Best \$2.98 Skirts at - - - \$1.98  
 \$3.98 Skirts at - - - 2.98  
 \$5.00 and \$5.98 Skirts at - - - 3.50  
 \$7.50 to \$10.00 Skirts at - - - 5.98

## FURS. FURS.

Good \$2.98 Scarfs at - - - \$1.98  
 \$3.98 and \$4.50 Scarfs at - - - 2.50  
 \$7.50 value, genuine Marton Scarfs at 3.98  
 \$7.50 to \$10.00 Nice Fur Scarfs at - 5.00  
 \$7.50 Fur Collarettes at - - - 2.50  
 All other Furs Greatly reduced for quick selling.

Big Bargains in Hosiery. Gloves. Muslin Underwear. Flannelette Gowns. Children's Cloaks and Headwear. Men's and Women's Umbrellas. Remnants of Laces, Embroideries and Dress Trimmings.

**Feldman's Co.**  
 200-211 N. Main Street.

# Snap for Snap-Hunters!

The Extraordinary big values we are offering in Clothing, Furnishings and Footwear during our Re-building Sale are certainly snaps for snap-hunters. The usual dull season after holidays has been changed to a continual busy buying crowd who realize the true bargains we are offering during our

## RE-BUILDING SALE.

Here's an opportunity for the economical person to save dollars and cents. To supply yourself with Clothing and Shoes at the prices we are selling is certainly a good investment.

No Goods  
Charged or  
Sent on  
Approval  
During this  
Sale.



50 Dozen  
Neckwear  
at  
15c Each.

"The Home of the Stylish Suits."

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Kenton wrestler in Lima,  
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was to stay for fifteen min-  
t the Dutchman's asser-  
e would throw him three  
that period. Ackerman

again showed up in good form and  
finally accepted a no with strikes  
under even more favorable circum-  
stances.

When the Kenton athlete first ap-  
peared in Lima Bobby Reakes offered  
to throw him ten times in an hour,  
but Ackerman merely laughed at such  
a proposition and declared he had no  
chance whatever with a man of Bob-  
by's reputation. It seems rather  
strange that in the short time which  
has elapsed Ackerman would consent  
to cut the ten-times down to three.  
This was the first suspicious circum-  
stance, and the offensive attitude of  
Reakes in the bout last night only  
helped to arouse the suspicion which  
first existed.

To those who saw Reakes' work  
out with King, his attitude last night,  
in comparison, was of such a differ-  
ent character as to arouse open com-  
ment. Ackerman escaped with scarcely  
any punishment and came out of  
the contest almost as fresh as when  
he went in. Hammerlock Reakes, as  
he has been dubbed, lost every one  
of his vicious holds to a mere novice,  
and his mix-up at the finish failed, in  
a degree, to cover up the lost oppor-  
tunities.

Alvin Watson, Ackerman's backer,  
and James Glenn, by whom the Ken-  
ton wrestler is employed, came to  
Lima early yesterday and put several  
hundred dollars afloat at odds of con-  
siderable less than two to one. A  
single bet of \$250 to \$300 was made  
that Reakes would fail to throw  
Ackerman three times in the hour  
and the short-end won. Many smaller  
wagers of from \$5 to \$10 and \$75 to \$100  
were made before the bout began.

One thing is certain. If the match  
was a fake it was fixed up between  
the principals and their respective  
managers and no one was invited in-  
side, not even the manager of the  
house or his closest friends several of  
whom lost money on the result. It  
looks like a general cleaning up of  
those who had been Bobby Reakes'  
most earnest admirers and if it was  
not so there is an explanation due  
from the principal figure in the ris-  
cious contest which hundreds of peo-  
ple paid to witness.

It only remains to say that Reakes  
threw Ackerman twice within the  
hour, the first time in 23½ minutes  
and the second time in 20 minutes.  
The third time they appeared Reakes  
had 16½ minutes in which to deliver  
the goods but failed to do it. The  
principals did not appear until mid-  
night and it was after one o'clock be-

fore the decision was announced.

A Streak of Hard Luck.

Baker and Gunderson, while several  
hundred dollars ahead of the game at  
Lima, have been in hard luck so  
far as winnings are concerned. Geo-  
rgian was beaten again yesterday in a  
situation which promised a big rake  
off on the purse and books. C. P.  
Jones won after running a good race  
in which he was well handled. Geo-  
rgian made a determined rush but was  
meased about badly and did not get  
clear sailing until too late. Georgian  
carried 108½ pounds which was 3½  
over. Last week the Lima runner  
was shut out by a neck because of  
her being forced to the outside of the  
track and once before while ahead in  
the stretch she cast all four of her  
shoes.

### NEW CASES

Of Smallpox Develop in the  
McFarland Family.

One Case Develops at West Cairo.  
Is Thought to Have Originated  
from the Same Source.

Two new cases of small pox have  
developed in the McFarland family,  
at the residence of the family, 734  
west Kibby street, where Joseph Mc-  
Farland became ill with the disease  
immediately after the holidays. The  
patients are Miss Anna McFarland, a  
sister, and Frank McFarland, brother  
of the original patient. Both were  
vaccinated immediately after the dis-  
covery of the first case and conse-  
quently the illness the two new pa-  
tients are suffering is very mild.  
Frank says "dad burn it, the only  
thing bad about having the small pox  
is that a fellow has to stay in the  
house all the time."

Ed. Rader, employed on the De-  
troit Southern bridge gang, is ill in a  
boarding house at West Cairo, suffer-  
ing a mild attack of small pox. He  
was with Joe McFarland the day be-  
fore the latter's case was discovered.

See "What Townsend Has."

Court House Briefs.  
County treasurer, Jas. W. Genzel,  
assisted by Frank A. Eaton, collected  
about \$6,000 in taxes while at the  
township room last Friday.—Bluffton  
News.

F-1-5-1 at Townsend's.

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WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST,  
FOR SALE, ETC.  
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### WANTED.

WANTED—Two No. 1 solicitors sal-  
ary and expenses to good men. Ap-  
ply at once. J. D. Taylor, 212 Black  
block. 11\*

WANTED—Salesman to call on gro-  
cers and butchers in Lima and vicin-  
ity with a high grade specialty—  
One capable of earning \$100 per  
month or more. Address lock box  
923, Dayton, O. 11\*

WANTED—Girl for general house  
work. Apply at 123 north West  
street. 51-31

### FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Nine room, modern  
house, on street car line. All modern  
conveniences. Apply to box 334 or  
Times Democrat office. 71-11\*

### MISCELLANEOUS.

MADAME Roche medium and palmis-  
try reader. This is the last week.  
127 west Wayne street. 51-31\*

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HOT WATER BOTTLES 50c.  
FOUNTAIN SYRINGES  
\$1.00 TO \$1.75.  
THE ENTERPRISE  
DRUG STORE.  
THE RUBBER HOUSE.  
Telephone us your wants. We  
deliver goods. Phone 301.  
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Monday, Jan. 19.

HOLDEN BROS.  
Big Scenario Production

The Denver Express.  
The Acme of Stage Realism!  
The Most Powerful Melodrama of the  
Century.  
A Company of Unusual Merit.

PRICES—Boxes and lower floor 50c;  
Balcony 35c; Gallery 25c  
for adults, 15c for boys un-  
der 12.

Carroll & Cooney.

LINEN SALE

Carroll and Cooney.

## ONLY ONE MORE DAY

of the Great Linen Sale. Saturday Closes the  
Greatest Sale of Linen We Have Ever  
Had in Our House.

To effect a more successful closing of the sale we have decided to place all  
advance Spring Linen, Mustins and Beddings now on hand, at ridiculously low prices.

### Linen Specialties.

58 inch Cream Damask regular 30c  
value,

To close 23c.

\$1.00 Cream Damask warranted all  
pure linen, good selection of pattern reg-  
ular \$1.00 value,

To close 79c.

\$1.00 Bleached Damask, full 72 inch  
pure Linen. (Napkins to match)

To close 84c.

\$1.25 72-inch Bleached double Satin  
Damask. (Napkins to match)

To close 98c.

All other Linens regardless of cost or  
value, including our best will be sold at  
correspondingly low prices.

### CRASH

10 pieces of like Linen Crash regular  
6c value

Goes at 4 1-2c.

Stevens 18-inch all pure Linen Crash  
Goes at 5c.

### Muslins and Beddings.

Lonsdale Bleached Muslin usually  
sold at 10c can be bought at this sale for  
6 3-4c.

1000 yards of extra heavy Brown  
Muslin 40 inches wide, regular 7c value  
To close 5c.

### BEDDINGS

12 Corded Crochet Quilts and pink  
heavy knotted fringe, were \$1.25  
To close 98c.

Extra large White Crochet Spreads  
regular \$1.00 value  
Goes at 89c.

Our \$2.00 White Fringed Cotton  
Crochet Quilts extra large size  
To close \$1.43.

62 by 90 Brown Sheets regular 55c.  
To close 48c.

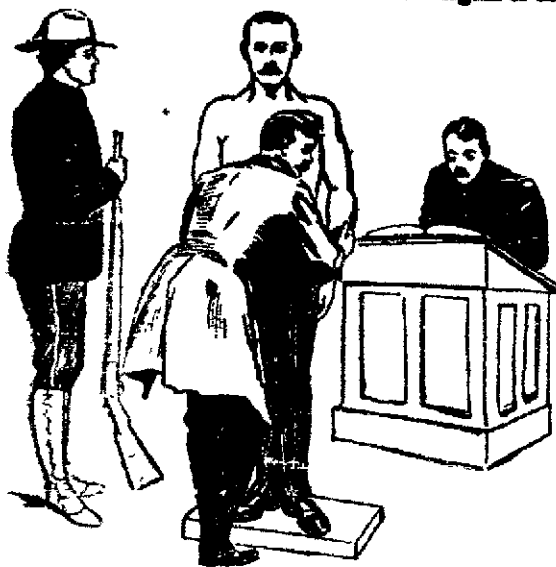
81 by 90 Bleached Hemstitched sheets  
65c value  
Goes at 57c.

Carroll & Cooney.

## No Man Is Stronger Than His Stomach.

The man who seeks to enlist in the U. S. Army must be physically sound. There is a minimum standard of height and weight under that standard, no matter how healthy, will not be accepted. But aside from height the requirement is a sound physical condition, and this condition depends in chief upon the health of the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition. Many a man has been rejected by the medical examiner who appeared externally to possess all the physical requirements of a good soldier. But the examiner looks below the surface. He knows that the stomach is weak, and he knows also that no man is stronger than his stomach.

Most people look upon indigestion as a discomfort rather than a disease. But



In reality indigestion or dyspepsia is the disease of all diseases. It makes other diseases possible. It involves the blood and the heart, lungs, liver, kidneys—every organ of the body.

## WEAK STOMACH WEAK MAN.

That a "weak" stomach causes general physical weakness may easily be understood. Food is the staff of life. The source of all physical strength is food. But before the body can receive strength from what is eaten the food must be digested and assimilated. To convert the food eaten into nutrition is the office of the stomach and the other organs of digestion and nutrition. When the stomach is "weak" the food received into it is only partly digested and assimilated; the body loses its proper supply of nutrition and grows proportionately weak. The capacity of the stomach in its normal health and use equals the nutritive demands of the body. State that normal capacity as equal to 100. When the stomach is "weak" its capacity is reduced proportionately. It may be that ten or twenty per cent of the nutritive values of the food eaten are lost or wasted. That ten or twenty per cent of lost nutrition must then represent a ten or twenty per cent loss of physical strength.

## WHERE STRENGTH COMES FROM.

Physical strength comes from food and from food alone. If a man has enough to eat and eats enough, there is no reason why he should not have a perfectly nourished and healthy body. If he is not well nourished, if he is losing weight, then the stomach is weak or diseased, whether he knows it or not. If he knows he has stomach trouble, then he may be sure that the trouble will not stop with the stomach, but will reach out to other organs of the body dependent on the stomach for nutrition.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has restored lost health and strength to thousands of suffering men and women, because it cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutri-

tion, and enables the building up of the body in the only way known to nature, by the assimilation of the nutrition extracted from food. "Golden Medical Discovery" makes the "weak" stomach strong, and so makes the weak man strong by perfect nutrition.

"I had been suffering from indigestion so badly that I could not work more than half the time," writes Mr. Victor L. Hayden, of Blackstone, Nottingham Co., Va. "But now I can work every day and eat anything I want. Why? Because I took Dr. R. V. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It has put new life and energy in me, restored my health and made me a man of more. I used to weigh 170 but had gotten down to 144, now am back to 150 and will soon be back at my old weight if nothing happens. Your medicine has done it all. I cannot thank you enough for your advice and think if it had not been for your medicine I would not have been here many years."

## A CORNFIELD LESSON.

The average person seems entirely unaware of the dependence of the several organs of the body upon the stomach for their health and strength. But if a "weak" stomach makes a weak man, then weakness must be distributed among all the parts and organs which, taken as a whole, make up the physical man. The relation of the stomach to the physical organs is like the relation of the corn to the soil in which it grows. If the soil abounds in the nutrition which makes corn, then the stalk is tall, the leaves broad, the ears heavy. If the soil is poor or weak then the corn is weak and it is weak all over, in stalk, leaf and ear. Every part of the corn shares in the lack of nutritive elements in the soil. It's so with the stomach. When it is "weak" and there is loss of nutrition, every organ shares that loss—heart,

liver, lungs, kidneys, etc. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of organs remote from the stomach when these diseases have their origin in disease of the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition. In numerous cases men and women who have taken "Golden Medical Discovery" to cure disease of the stomach have been astonished to find themselves cured of diseases of heart, lungs, liver, kidneys or other organs.

"Words fail to express what I suffered for three years with cold chills, palpitation of heart, shortness of breath and low spirits," writes Mrs. A. C. Jones, of Waterboro, Colleton Co., S. C. "I could not sleep, and really thought I would soon die. Had a peculiar roaring through my head all the time. Was so emaciated and weak I could not feed myself. My aunt induced me to try Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which I did, only to please her, and six bottles cured me. Today am sound and well. During the three years I was sick I had five different physicians."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets assist the action of the "Discovery." Don't be fooled into trading a substance for a shadow. Any substitute offered as "just as good" as "Golden Medical Discovery" is a shadow of that medicine. There are cures behind every claim made for the "Discovery," which is no "just as good" medicine can show.

## A GUIDE TO HEALTH.

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser is a safe guide to sound health. It treats of health and disease in a common sense manner and in plain English. It explains how health may be established and how it is preserved. This grand work, containing more than a thousand large pages and over 700 illustrations is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Send thirty-one one-cent stamps for the cloth-bound volume, or only twenty-one stamps for the book in paper covers. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

A "mammoth" combined harvester, which reaps a swath thirty-five feet wide and immediately threshes and winnows the grain from the straw, is in use in California. The machine harvests from 75 to 100 acres a day, yielding from 1,000 to 1,500 sacks of grain.

## CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Mrs. Kindheart—Do you like pie?

Tramp—Lady I refuse to answer till I see the pie.

The many friends of G. H. Hansen, engineer, L. E. & W. R. R., at present living in Lima, O., will be pleased to know of his recovery from threatened kidney disease. He writes: "I was cured by using Foley's Kidney Cure, which I recommend to all, especially to trainmen who are usually similarly afflicted."

H. F. Fortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

If people worried less about the future and more about the present it would be more to the point.

## BEST FOR THE BOWELS

If you haven't a regular, healthy movement of the bowels, you are liable to feel ill. Keep your bowels regular and you will feel better. The bowels are the most important part of the body. They are the only way of getting rid of the waste matter of the body. If they are not regular, the waste matter will build up in the body and cause disease.



KEEP YOUR BLOOD CLEAN

## A BRUTAL MURDER

Will Come Up for Trial in New York Next Week.

New York, Jan. 16.—With the Molyneux trial still fresh in the public memory and the Louis Disbrow murder trial now on, still another notable murder case, and one of absorbing interest to criminologists, will come up for trial next week. This is the case of William Hooper Young, a grandson of Brigham Young, who was indicted in October last for the murder of Mrs. Anna Nelson Pulitzer, a woman whom he had lured to his rooms in west Fifty-eighth street.

The crime was one of the most brutal the police have been called upon to deal with since the Goldensperger murder. For some time prior to his alleged commission of the crime Young had been occupying a room in the luxurious apartments of his father, John W. Young, a promoter and capitalist of wealth and high financial position, and who was at the time absent in Europe on business.

The son had the reputation of being a ne'er-do-well, drifting from one occupation to another and living at various times in Utah, the state of Washington and various other parts of the country. Evidence collected by the police, strengthened by the confession alleged to have been made by Young after his arrest, goes to show that the young man took the woman, with whom he had some previous acquaintance, to his rooms on the night of the murder and there drugged her and then proceeded to cut up the body in the most diabolical manner. The remains were then taken in a trunk across the North River, where they were thrown into the shallow waters of a canal. The body was found next day weighed down with a hitching weight. The first clue to the identity of the murderer was furnished by a Jersey liverman who identified a photograph of Young as the man to whom he had hired a rig the day before.

## THE STAGE.

The wonderful railroad effect and the fight for life in the last act are also features worthy of special attention. The Denver Express will be at Fairport's next Monday, Jan. 19.

"The Three Musketeers" dramatized from the famous novel of the same name was the play presented by the Van Dyke & Eaton company at the Fairport opera house last night. The company seems to be growing in popularity with each performance which fact is well earned by the conscientious work of the different members. "Camille" will be the bill tonight and at the family matinee tomorrow afternoon "The Two Orphans" will be presented. The company will close their engagement tomorrow evening, presenting "Across the Desert."

## THE DENVER EXPRESS.

With a strong dramatic story, nicely told, plenty of neat up-to-date specialties and a wealth of beautiful scenery and magnificent effects, the Denver Express certainly contains every element of the successful melodrama. No more beautiful stage picture can be conceived than the first act setting, representing a valley in the heart of the Rocky mountains at sunrise, and no more startling sensational effect was ever introduced than the attack of the Redskins on a band of emigrants which occurs at the climax of the act.

You can feel the good effects of Hagee's Cordial of Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda in a short time.

Its purifying, enriching, nourishing influence soon becomes apparent in better appetite; better sleep; better ambition; better hopes and better health. For general debility and weak, impoverished conditions, which are all the more emphasized by winter's winds, Hagee's Cordial is a favorite with thousands of physicians.

They find it palatable and agreeable to the weakest stomach or most sensitive taste. No grease—no fishy flavor—no nausea—so common in other cod liver oils, nothing but the good that does good in Hagee's.

Sold by all druggists. Prepared by Kellerman Chemical Co., St. Louis, Mo.

## RADICAL

Changes Made in the National Guard.

The passage of the Dick militia bill means some radical changes in the National Guard, which will, of course, be of great interest to Ohio, because of the large membership of "citizen soldiery." A few of the reforms soon to be inaugurated are:

Change of uniforms from blue to olive drab.

The Krag-Jorgensen rifle to replace the Springfield musket.

All members of the guard will be subject to direct care of the president. Hitherto they have been under state control only, each state being independent of the other.

The government provides camp pay at regular army rates. State troops hereafter will be associated with regular army commands in general military maneuvers.

In brief the Dick bill makes the various militia organizations all over the United States what their name implies, a "National Guard" and by placing them on a uniform basis and under the president's control gives the nation an immense standing army in reserve.

TRY STOLZENBACH'S BREAD.

LOAF FOR LOAF WITH OTHERS.

AND WE WILL HAVE YOUR TRADE.

Don't Worry.

This is easier said than done, yet it may be of some help to consider the matter. If the cause is something over which you have no control it is obvious that worrying will not help the matter in the least. On the other hand, if within your control you have only to act. When you have a cold and fear an attack of pneumonia, buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and use it judiciously and all cause for worry as to the outcome will quickly disappear. There is no danger of pneumonia when it is used. For sale by Wm. M. McVillie, old postoffice corner.

## ON HOT SUMMER DAYS

One does not enjoy a piano to the same degree they do in weather like we are having now. When one does not venture farther from the home cheer more than necessary indoor amusement and occupation are sought after by the live and up-to-date. So why not go to the Whitney & Currier Co.'s beautiful piano parlors and select a piano that will not only be a pleasure to you but a credit to your home.

All northern Ohio knows the unquestionable integrity of the house for the past 40 years. The pianos we are known to handle are the world's best and from an artistic standpoint the only.

## THE WHITNEY &amp; CURRIER COMPANY.

211 and 213 W. High St.  
Leave orders for tuning.  
All work guaranteed.

## J. M. SPICER'S

Merchant Tailoring Agency removed from Y. M. C. A. Building to the Holmes Block.  
Third Floor Jan 1st Take Elevator

## H. B. Longworth &amp; Co

Are handling some exceptionally good DIVIDEND PAYING OIL STOCKS

for the Okemiva Oil Company of this city and the German American Oil Company of Dayton and Lima, Ohio. These companies are each paying 10 per cent on the amount of the money invested. The Okemiva has 6.5 acres of good producing territory with 23 wells. This stock is selling at 50 cents per share, par value \$1.00, fully paid and non-assessable. It is paying dividends monthly at the rate of 5-12 of 1 per cent per month. The officers are men high up in the oil business in this city. The German American is selling at 60 cents per share, par value \$1.00. The stock is paying 10 per cent on the investment or 1/2 of 1 per cent per month on the face of the stock. They have 125 producing oil wells and 4600 acres of leases, part in Indiana and part in Ohio. The officers and directors are well known business men of this city and Dayton, Ohio.

These stocks will soon advance 10 cents per share and those who buy now will be in on the January dividend if taken this month except in the Okemiva, which pays on money received to the 15th of the month. If you are interested, call on or address H. B. LONGWORTH & CO., Oil Stocks and Oil Property, 204 1/2 North Main Street.

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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Crystal Ice and Coal Co. will be held at the office of the company north McDonald street, Lima, O. Monday Jan. 19th, 1903, at 2 p. m., for the election of a board of directors and such other business, as may properly come before said meeting.

J. A. DUTTON, Secy.

REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The revival services at Epworth M. E. church, conducted by the pastor, George Wood Anderson, have been productive of much good and great interest is still manifested. Over 40 have begun the Christian life since these meetings began. The pastor preaches each evening. All are cordially invited to attend these services which begin promptly at 7:15 o'clock. Sabbath afternoon at 2:30 there will be a meeting for men only.

## CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

## What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Purgative, Drops and Soothing Syrup. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

## GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

Bears the Signature of

*Chas. H. Fletcher*

The Kind You Have Always Bought

In Use For Over 30 Years.

THE CASTORIA COMPANY, 77 N. MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

## Uneda Biscuit

are simply improved soda crackers—

Quite different from the common crackers that come in paper bags

And which no one buys nowadays excepting a matter of habit

Uneda Biscuit are made better by the baker and kept better by the in-er-seal Package with red and white seal

5¢

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Most luxuriously equipped train in the world. Leaves Chicago daily via the El Paso-Rock Island route. Less than three days to Los Angeles. Through cars to Santa Barbara and San Francisco.

Everything to make you comfortable—electric lights, electric fans; barber shop; bath room; Booklovers' Library; compartment and standard sleepers; diner; buffet-smoker; observation car.

Easiest grades, lowest altitudes, and most southerly course of any transcontinental line. Information on request. Reserve berths now.

El Paso & North Pacific, 415 Park Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

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There is No Other

That will make your floors shine so bright and so clean as Monarch.

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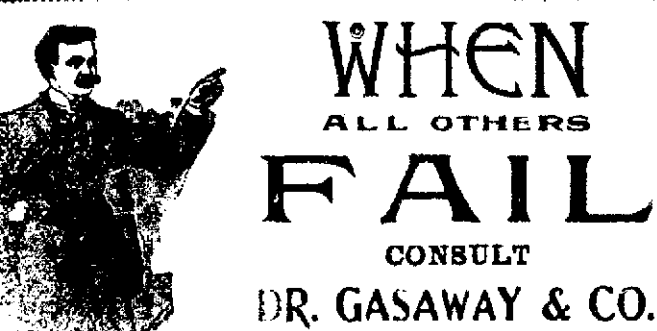
If you desire more information, write to J. C. Longworth & Co., 204 1/2 North Main Street, Lima, O.

House Work Is Hard Work without GOLD DUST



**W.B. ERECT FORM CORSETS**

The Erect Form, by placing all pressure of lacing upon the hips and muscles, does away with the ill effects of tight lacing and develops a beautiful curve at the base of the spine. It is the only proper model to wear the new Erect Form and Princess gown. Fit your new dress over the Erect Form and it will be a masterpiece of grace and elegance. Prices range from \$1.00 to \$5.00. If your dealer cannot supply you send direct to **WINGARTEN BROS., 377-379 Broadway, New York**. No other corset can take the place of the W. B. Erect Form. Accept no substitute.



**WHEN ALL OTHERS FAIL CONSULT DR. GASAWAY & CO.**

**Treat and Cure** Nervous Debility, Nervous Prostration, Mental Depression, Insanity, Sexual Weakness, Scrofula, Rheumatism, Syphilis, Hydrops, Varicose, Stricture, Pimples, Catarrh, Bronchitis, Leucorrhoea, Liver and Kidney Troubles, Constipation, Varicose, etc.

**Diets!** All diseases peculiar to your sex successfully treated. You may consult us in confidence, no matter what trouble may be.

**Young Men** Who suffer from fearful effects of self abuse as to aversion to the society of ladies, despondency, loss of energy, failing memory, nervousness, palpitation of heart, weak back, stunted development, increasing nervous exhaustion and wrecked or lascivious dreams. You may be in the shape, but are fast approaching the last. Do not let false pride and modesty prevent you from obtaining relief now.

**Old-Aged Men.** Old men who suffer from premature old age as a result of youthful excesses of later years; who are troubled with too frequent evacuations of the bladder, or by finding a milky orropy urine in the urine; and on account of this unnatural waste and of vitality are unfit for business or marriage. You can possibly be restored to manly vigor.

**WE CURE SYPHILIS, NO MATTER OF HOW LONG STANDING.**

**Inflammation** Of Prostate and Bladder, Gleet, etc., instantly relieved and permanently cured.

**Varicose** Cured in five days by our special treatment. No detention from your daily work.

You take no chances treating with us. References: Banks, Snyders, and the best business and professional men in the city. Established 1897.

Dr. Gasaway & Co., 221 N. Main St., Lima, Ohio. Office hours from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.; Sundays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

**DR. GASAWAY & CO.,** 221 N. Main St., LIMA, OHIO. Times Democrat Office.

## Start the New Year Right

Having your teeth properly attended to where satisfaction in every treatment is assured, and where your guarantee is as good as a bond.

Set of Teeth.....	\$7.00	Gold Fillings.....	\$1.00 up
Set of Teeth.....	\$1.50	Silver Fillings.....	75c up
Extraction.....	\$3.00 up	Extracting.....	25c
Work.....	\$3.00 up	Gas or Air.....	50c

Extracting Free when plates are ordered.

**J. K. BANNISTER & CO.,** The Reliable Dentist. LADY IN ATTENDANCE.

## Flowers

## The Blooming

## California

**AUSTIN, Passenger Traffic Manager C. B. & Q. Ry. Co., 209 Adams St., Chicago.**

It's a little hard to realize that right now, while we are burning up our coal trying to keep warm, the flowers are blooming and the fruits are ripening and the birds are singing in California. Why not go out there for a few weeks? The trip is very inexpensive—a double berth in our modern tourist sleeping cars Chicago to Los Angeles only costs \$6.00. Our "Personally Conducted" parties leave Chicago and St. Louis every week—find out about them. Write me for particulars TO-DAY. There is no more comfortable, interesting and inexpensive way of going to the Coast.

**ROSY CHEEKS.** Do you want them? Do you simply want to glow with health? Do you want to eat well, sleep well and work well? Try **Lily's Celery Nerve Compound**. Sold by Wm. M. Melville, druggist.

When a real baldheaded man sits in front of us we always want to put our hands on his head.

**Ayer's Cherry Pectoral** For hard colds, chronic coughs. Ask your doctor if he has better advice.

## NEW PRESIDENT

Will be Installed in Indiana University Next Week.

The Event Will be a Festable One in the Educational Circles of the Hoosier State.

Bloomington, Ind., Jan. 16.—Preparations on an elaborate scale have been made for the installation of Wm. Lowe Bryan as president of Indiana University next week, when foundation day will also be celebrated. The installation of President Bryan will take place on Wednesday morning. Governor Durbula will preside and the other prominent participants in the exercises of the day will include President E. B. Andrews of the University of Nebraska, Chief Justice Hadley, of the Indiana Supreme Court, President W. H. P. Faunce, of Brown University, President Joseph Swain of Swarthmore College, Professor Edward L. Nichols, of Cornell University and Professor John M. Coulter of the University of Chicago.

## ANOTHER RETIRES.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—After a long and honorable service, Lieut. Col. L. C. Hennisse, 5th Cavalry, U. S. A., was placed on the retired list today by operation of the age limit. Lieut. Col. Hennisse is the first of a long list of army officers to be retired this year, among the more prominent of those to follow being Gen. M. L. Ludington, quartermaster general, Major General G. W. Davis and Lieut. General Nelson A. Miles.

### PROOF IN LIMA.

Should be Decidedly More Convincing to People than Proof from Utter Strangers.

The statement which follows like all that have preceded it on this subject, is from Lima. It is not from some distant corner of the Union; Lima people cannot blithely from testimony like this:

Mrs. L. E. Cole, of 250 Spencerville road, says:—"To the statement I gave for publication about Doan's Kidney Pills in the summer of 1896, I have nothing to add but that time has strengthened the opinions from then expressed about that remarkable preparation. They cured me of backache which had prevented me from sleeping at night and worried me during the day. Up to the present time, and it is considerably over two years since I stopped the treatment I have not had a recurrence."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

How easy it is to approve of the people who agree with us.

**New Century Comfort.** Millions are daily finding a world of comfort in Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It kills pain from burns, scalds, cuts, bruises; conquers ulcers, and fever sores; cures eruptions, salt rheum, boils and feliens; removes corns and warts. Best pile cure on earth. Only 25c at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, corner Main and North streets.

## A FIGHT TONIGHT.

Davenport, Ia., Jan. 16.—Considerable interest is manifested in the bout scheduled to be pulled off by a local club tonight between Adam Ryan and Tommy Smith. The contest is set for twenty rounds.

## SPECIAL MEETING

Of Boiler Makers and Helpers Sunday Afternoon.

There will be a special meeting of the boiler makers and boiler makers' helpers, Sunday at 2 o'clock p. m. in Buffalo hall. D. S. Hogan, organizer of the American Federation of Labor, will deliver a speech at the meeting. By order of president. 1-2t

"The nicest and pleasantest medicine I have used for indigestion and constipation is Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets," says Melard F. Craig, of Middlegrove, N. Y. "They work like a charm and do not grip or have any unpleasant effect." For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

## R. T. GREGG & CO.

# The Special Price Sale at R. T. Gregg & Co.'s

Has been well attended—hundreds have been benefitted by it—You have until Saturday night to get the following good things at special prices.

One special line Children's Cotton Hose, sale price per pair only 7c.

One special line Children's Cotton Hose, sale price per pair only 10c.

All other Hosiery in the house at a discount of 10 per cent.

One case Men's Underwear, full fleeced gray, sale price 19c.

One case Men's Underwear, wool fleeced gray, sale price 69c.

One line Ladies' Gray Union Suits worth \$1.00, sale price 79c.

One line Ladies' White Vests and Pants worth 50c, sale price 39c.

All other grades of Underwear at a discount of 10 per cent.

American Indigo Blue Prints, all Simpson's Blacks at 4c, and all Red Prints with small figures, will be sold at 4c.

Dark Percales, sale price 4c.

The 14c grade Flannelette, new pattern, sale price 9c.

The 15c grade Flannelette, new pattern, sale price 12c.

1 line extra quality Outing Flannel, sale price 6c.

1 line extra quality Outing Flannel, sale price 8c.

10-4 Cotton Blankets, white only, sale price 45c.

11-4 Cotton Blankets, white only, sale price 48c.

12-4 Cotton Blankets, tan only, extra size, sale price 98c.

Special prices on all Wool Blankets during this sale.

Special prices on all Comfortables, hand tied, pure cotton, at sale prices.

Ladies', Misses and Children's Coats at just half price.

1 line of Corduroy Waists, the \$2.50 and \$2.25 grade; to close only \$1.69.

Special prices on Ladies' Suits and Shirts.

10 per cent off on Lace, Rope and Tapestry Curtains.

10 per cent off on Rugs, Carpets, Mattings and Linoleums.

10 per cent off on all Chinaware, Granite ware, Lamps, and many other good things, not here mentioned.

Take Advantage of the Opportunity Now, as Sale Closes Saturday Night at the Close of Business Hours.

# R. T. GREGG & CO.

## POULTRY MEN

Are in Session in Syracuse Today.

The Largest Exhibition of Poultry Ever Held in This Country.

Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 16.—One of the largest exhibitions of poultry and pet stock ever given in Western New York is that which opened in Fitzhugh Hall today under the auspices of the Flower City Poultry and Pigeon association. The exhibits number several thousand and include all varieties of turkeys, geese, chickens, ducks and pigeons, as well as a large assortment of hares, guinea pigs and other pet stock. The exhibition will continue open six days and present indications point to a large attendance of visitors.

### Finds Way to Live Long.

The startling announcement of a discovery that will surely lengthen life is made by editor O. H. Downey of Churubusco, Ind. "I wish to state," he writes, "that Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption is the most infallible remedy that I have ever known for coughs, colds and grip. Its invaluable to people with weak lungs. Having this wonderful medicine no one need dread pneumonia or consumption. Its relief is instant and cure certain." A. F. Vorkamp, corner Main and North streets, guarantees every 50c and \$1 bottle, and gives trial bottles free.

## KNOX HAS A PARTY.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 16.—Attorney General and Mrs. Knox arrived from Washington last evening and during the remainder of the week will be the guests of Mr. Henry C. Frick. This evening the Attorney General will be the guest of honor at a dinner given by Mr. Frick and tomorrow Mrs. Knox will be given a luncheon by their host.

### NOTICE TO BOND BUYERS.

Sealed bids will be received by the city clerk of Lima, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, February 9th, 1903, and opened immediately thereafter, for the purchase of \$150,000 of water works bonds, known and designated as "Water Works Bonds of the City of Lima, Ohio, Series B," and

issued for the purpose of obtaining money which to enlarge, extend and improve the present water works plant of the city of Lima, Ohio, as authorized by the electors of the said city at a general election held April 1st, 1902.

Said bonds shall be in denominations of \$1,000 each; shall be 150 in number; shall be dated October 1st, 1902, and made payable as follows: \$10,000 on the first day of October, 1912 and \$10,000 on the first day of October, 1917, in each and every year thereafter until all shall have been paid; said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, with principal, as same matures, at the office of the city treasurer, Lima, Ohio. No bid for less than par value of said bonds will be considered and bidders are required to use a form of proposal furnished by the city clerk; unless a bid on said bonds is accompanied by a certified check on a Lima, Ohio, bank, and payable to the city clerk in the sum of at least five per cent of the amount bid for, the same will not be considered. Should the bidder to whom said bonds are awarded refuse or neglect to accept said bonds and pay to the city of Lima, Ohio, the amount of his bid and accrued interest when said bonds are ready for delivery, then said deposit will be retained by said city as liquidated damages for such failure. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned the following day after opening bids.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. By order of the City Council. FRED C. BEAM, City Clerk. Lima, Ohio, Jan. 8th, 1903. Jan 8-th fri-5wks

**LEGAL NOTICE.** The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Stephen L. Woodward and William C. Arboethor, partners doing business under the firm name of S. L. Woodward & Company.

All persons indebted to said assignees will make immediate payment and creditors will present their claims duly authenticated to the undersigned, for allowance. M. E. SEALTS, Assignee. MOTTER, MACKENZIE & WEADOCK, ATTYS. Lima, O., Dec. 31, A. D. 1902-3w

**NOTICE OF CHANGING AND RE-ESTABLISHING WARDS.**

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, Dec. 29th, 1902, notice is hereby given of the pendency of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance to change the wards and establish new wards in the City of Lima, Ohio, and repealing a certain ordinance of a similar nature heretofore passed," before the council of said city, and in said ordinance, the following changes are proposed, to wit:

**FIRST WARD.** All north of the centre line of Market street extended east to the corporation line, and east of the centre line of Main street.

**SECOND WARD.** All north of the centre line of Market street extended west to the corporation line, and west of the centre line of Main street.

**THIRD WARD.** All west of the centre line of Main street and south of the centre line of Market street, extended west to the corporation line.

**FOURTH WARD.** All east of the centre line of Main street and south of the centre line of Market street extended east to the corporation line. The above ordinance will come before the council of the city of Lima, Ohio, for final action on January 26th, 1903. By order of the City Council. FRED C. BEAM, City Clerk. 50-4w 50-4w 50-4w 50-4w

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

John D. Courau, plaintiff, vs. Mary E. Ford, et al., defendant. Allen Common Pleas. By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, \$1 will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, January 31, 1903, between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock, p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the city of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number sixty-seven (67) in Jane W. Holmes' third subdivision of the northwest corner of the southeast quarter (1/4) of section number six (6), town four (4) south, range seven (7) east, and commonly known as lot number sixty-seven (67) in Jane W. Holmes' third addition to the city of Lima, Ohio.

Appraised at \$900.00. Terms: Cash. E. J. BARR, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio. Lima, Ohio, Dec. 29, 1902-tt Copeland & Rogers, plaintiff's attys.

### LEGAL NOTICE.

Charles E. Bowman, plaintiff, vs. Georgia M. Bowman, defendant. Court of Common Pleas.

Georgia M. Bowman, whose place of residence is unknown, late of 151-1/2 Clark avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, will take notice that, on the second day of December, A. D. 1902, in the court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, where the action is now pending, being cause No. 11285, the undersigned, Charles E. Bowman, filed his petition against said Georgia M. Bowman, praying for divorce from her.

The said Georgia M. Bowman, is required to answer the petition in said action not later than six (6) weeks after the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1902, the date of the first publication of this notice, or such divorce may be granted.

CHARLES E. BOWMAN, Klinger & Quail, attorneys for plaintiff Dec. 2-4w

### NORTHERN OHIO RAILWAY CO.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Northern Ohio Railway Company, for the election of directors and other general purposes, will be held at the office of the Lake Erie & Western Railroad Company, in Lima, Ohio, on Monday, January 12th, 1903. The transfer books will be closed December 30th, 1902, at 12 o'clock noon, and will be reopened January 13th, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m.

CHARLES F. COX, Secretary.

## A SPECIAL OFFERING

By far the greatest bargain of all bargains in Lima.

An immense assortment of new and up-to-date fine woolen or worsted men's suits easily worth \$12, \$12.50 and \$13.50

THIS WEEK  
—AND—  
NEXT WEEK **\$7.88**

Corresponding reduction in finer Suits.  
Corresponding reductions in all Overcoats.

Shoe department is also alive with greatest bargains.

\$1.00 Ladies felt fur trim slippers 69c.

Ladies \$1.50 calf skin shoes now 69c.

Ladies \$3 Patent leather shoes, narrow widths only at 75c.

See ladies fine regular line at \$3 and \$3.50, best on earth.

Children's \$1 durable school shoes at 50 cents.

Men's \$3 and \$4 sample shoes at \$1.98.

### Lightenstader Bros.

Northwest Corner Square.

Established 30 years ago.

## WORK

Will be Started at Once

On the Plant

That is to Succeed the Steel Works.

Formal Transfer of Property was Made Yesterday Afternoon.

New Owners of the Property Will Remove to This City Immediately—Plenty Money Behind Them.

Yesterday afternoon the deal between the Lima Steel Casting Co. and Messrs. Bowers Bros. and Welling, mention of which was made several days ago, was fully closed, attorneys Copeland & Rogers presiding in the name of F. M. Bowers, the old steel works property on south Main street. The property consists of the two story frame office building the ruins of the old steel works and two and fifty-one hundredths acres of land. The consideration previously stated was \$3,500 and the amount was paid in cash.

The new owners of the property visited the site yesterday afternoon for the purpose of making measurements for the new factory buildings that they will build. Work on these buildings will be started as soon as possible as it is the wish of the owners to have their new works in operation within a short time.

The works will employ about forty men when it starts in operation and it is the opinion of the owner, that this number will be increased to 75 or 80 men within six months or a year.

Bowers Bros. have been operating a place at Forest and Mr. Welling owns a shop in Columbus but these will soon be closed and all three will remove with their families to this city in the near future. They expect to purchase residence property as soon as they become acquainted with the city. It is understood that the firm has plenty of capital and that \$50,000 will be at their disposal in launching their manufacturing business here.

The new factory will be operated in the manufacture of gas burners, stove pipe and other light iron and tin articles of the kind and also all kinds of tinware supplies.

## HANNA

Will Recommend the Name of Dr. George Hall

As His Choice When Teddy Passes Out the Plum of Postmaster-ship for Our City.

The following brief but pointed dispatch received this afternoon from Washington, gives about the status of one side of the contest for the local postmaster-ship. Up to the time of going to press no word had been received relative to any recommendation being offered by Senator Foraker.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Hanna will recommend to the president next week the reappointment of Dr. George Hall as postmaster at Lima.

The following resolutions were drafted by the members of St. Rose choir, to be sent to his bereaved family, and treasured up to his memory by the same.

Whereas, as almighty God in his infinite wisdom has taken from our association, Mr. J. J. Stein, we, the members of St. Rose choir do, in his untimely death, and pray God in his mercy to take him to himself. Also

Whereas, we feel that his death has removed from our midst, a good Christian, and a singer worthy of emulation. We have these resolutions printed to show our esteem and respect. May God have mercy on his soul.

MRS. M. FOLEY  
MISS M. ORAIL  
MR. THOS. DALEY  
MR. PHILIP MINAUGH  
MR. PETER LAUGHLIN

THE MESSIAH WILL BE RUNG AT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH FRIDAY EVENING BY A CHORUS OF EIGHTY VOICES. ADMISSION 50 CENTS.

Boiled older at Smith's 6-31  
GOOD, SWEET AND WHOLE. SOME, MOTHERS BREAD.

## DEMOCRATS

Will Meet Tonight in the Assembly Room.

The Democrats of the city of Lima, Ohio, will meet at the assembly room of the court house this evening, Jan. 16th, at 7 o'clock for the purpose of determining the manner of making nominations for the spring election and to determine the number and manner of selection of members of the city central committee. Matters of importance will be discussed and a full attendance is requested.

DR. D. H. SULLIVAN, Chairman  
JOHN H. KLATTE, Secy  
City Central Committee

WHAT TOWNSEND HAS.

Turkeys, Chicken, Veal, Fenderloin, Lamb, Fish, Oysters, Back Bone, Radishes, Sparsibis Cauliflower, New Beets, Lettuce, New Onions, Celery, Fine Sweet Elder, Fresh Vegetables, Choice Fruits, Fine Nuts and Nut Meats, Bulk Olives, Bulk Pickles, All Kinds of Cheese, Cocoa, Fine Coffee, Tea.

THE SALE GOES ON WITH A RUSH AT R. T. GREGG & CO'S.

NO SUNDAY SCHOOL.

There will be no Sunday school at the Jefferson street Mission next Sunday.

Parsnips and turnips at Smith's 6-31

AN EXCHANGE.

The ladies of the Spring street Lutheran church will give an exchange in the window of J. W. Rowland's furniture store, Saturday afternoon and evening.

REMEMBER THE DEMAND IS GREATER ON SATURDAY.

## We Offer In Our

## Women's Suit Department

Fifty Walking and Dress Suits in Ladies' and Misses at such a low price that will make you wonder why we do it.

[Third Floor.]

\$12.50 and \$15.00 Walking Suits in black, oxford and greys at \$4.98.

\$15.00 and \$18.00 Walking Suits, black and grey only at \$6.98.

\$18.00 and \$20.00 Walking Suits, extra value at \$10.00.

\$20.00 and \$22.50 Walking Suits, a good line of colors at \$12.50.

Black and colored Walking Suits in sizes 32, 34, 36, all new this season, worth up to \$25.00 at \$15.00.

A small lot of Dress Suits worth \$12.50 to \$15.00. Sale price \$4.98.

Light grey and Castor Dress Suits, value up to \$18.00, reduced to \$6.98.

Brown, black and grey Dress Suits, choice styles. Worth \$18.00 to \$20.00 reduced to \$10.00.

Choice line of Dress Suits, good styles former price \$20.00 and \$22.50. Sale price \$12.50.

Elegant styles and quality Dress Suits \$20.00 to \$25.00, values at \$15.00.



Dress Goods.

Suit House.

55-57 Public Square.



# Real Genuine Bargains.

## Tomorrow, Saturday, January 17,

We will inaugurate a genuine Cash Discount Sale of 25 per cent on all Winter Suits and Overcoats. All goods are marked in plain figures, and we are not going to close up the store to mark them up.

All \$20 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	\$15.00
All \$18 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	13.50
All \$15 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	11.25
All \$12 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	9.00
All \$10 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	7.50

We will donate \$100 to Charity for any one discovering the price of any article having been marked up for this sale. A full line of Children's Sweaters just arrived.

ALBRECHT BROS.

# The American Clothiers.

"Meet Me at the Lima House Corner."

## CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our hearty appreciation of the prompt and efficient work of the city fire department in their work at the fire at the Cahill block, and in averting what might have been a serious conflagration. The work of these faithful men is certainly worthy of more than the perfunctory "thank you" which is all too frequently the only recognition they get for their risk of life and limb.

C. M. TOLAN.

## TAX PAYERS

THE COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE WILL BE OPEN FROM 7 TO 9 P. M. THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND ON SATURDAY EVENINGS OF THIS WEEK.

JAS. W. GENDEL,  
CO. TREASURER

Sweet oranges at Smith's.

SATURDAY—GET YOUR ORDERS IN EARLY FOR MOTHERS BREAD

Grain and Pork Market.  
Chicago, Jan. 16.—Closing May wheat 78½, corn 44½, oats 36½, pork 16.42

Chicago Stock Market.  
Chicago, Jan. 16.—Cattle \$5.60, at five, steady; hogs \$23.00, 5 and 10¢ higher; sheep \$8.00, active, steady.

## BOUND OVER

Willie Jones Waives Examination in Mayor's Court.

The case in mayor's court against Willie Jones, charged with stealing some carpenter tools from G. D. Armstrong, came up this morning but no preliminary hearing was held. The defendant pleaded not guilty, waived examination and was bound over to the grand jury.

The case against William Wooley, arrested on a similar charge, was dismissed.

THE STAFF OF LIFE, "MOTHERS BREAD."

## WESTMINSTER

Has a Few Cases of Smallpox in Its Vicinity.

A day or two ago health officer McCaff called the attention of Dr. Crege, of Westminster, to a suspicious case of illness in a family near that village and this afternoon Dr. Crege reported that the patient a man named Hoover, and all of his children were suffering from small pox.

Dr. McCaff wishes the attention of the public called to the fact that there are many cases of small pox throughout the country districts and that there is more spreading of the disease in the country than in the city.

## A PESTIFEROUS GERM.

Burrows on the Scalp into Dandruff and Saps the Hair's Vitality.

People who complain of falling hair as a rule do not know that it is the result of dandruff, which is caused by a pestiferous parasite burrowing up the scalp as it digs down to the health in which the hair is fed in the scalp. Before long the hair root is shriveled up and the hair drops out. If the work of the germ is not destroyed hair keeps thinning till baldness comes. The only way to cure dandruff is to kill the germ, and until now there has been no hair preparation that would do it; but today dandruff is easily eliminated by Newbro's Hair-oil, which makes hair glossy and soft as silk.

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## FUNERAL

Of Brakeman Green Occurs Tomorrow Noon.

The funeral of brakeman Green, whose remains were brought here from Cincinnati yesterday, will be held from the residence on north McDonald street tomorrow afternoon at 12:30 o'clock, the time for the service having been changed.

## CARD OF THANKS

We cannot find words strong enough to fully express our thanks to our kind Christian neighbors and friends for their unceasing efforts to assist and make us comfortable during the sickness, death and burial of our dear daughter, Nellie.

Also to our pastor Dr. Thomson and to Rev. Figley for their comforting words and prayers.

Also to Mr. Clark, pianist and Mrs. Wells, Mrs. Overly, Mr. Holmes and Mr. Vermillion for their heavenly music, also to those who so beautifully expressed their sympathy and friendship in flowers, and finally to any and every one who had a word of sympathy for us, or of friendship for Nellie whether expressed or unexpressed. We pray God's blessing upon you.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McComb, and Effie.

## DEAL CLOSED.

L. J. Keppler is Now Proprietor of the Oak.

A deal that has been hanging fire for two or three days was closed between C. S. King and L. J. Keppler last evening, the latter purchasing all of the stock and fixtures of the Oak saloon on the east side of the public square. Mr. Keppler took charge of the place this morning.

HOBSON, THE HERO OF THE MERRIMACK, AT TRINITY CHURCH WEDNESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 21. ADMISSION 50 CENTS.

## PATH FINDERS NOTICE

Regular meeting of Ontario No. 11, Path Finders tonight. Good attendance desired. Let all members be present. By order of

O. B. BENNETT Pres  
Officers at Smith's.